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### OCTOBER 15, 2002

RE: Docket No. 020648-EI - Petition for approval of environmental cost recovery of St. Lucie Turtle Net Project for period of 4/15/02 through 12/31/02 by Florida Power & Light Company.

ISSUE 1: Should the Commission approve FPL's proposed Turtle Net Project as a new project for cost recovery through the ECRC?

PRIMARY RECOMMENDATION: The Commission should approve only the costs incurred for installation and maintenance of the new net because those are the only costs that are environmental compliance costs under Section 366.8255. Costs incurred for diving are typical ongoing O&M costs being recovered by FPL's current base rates and therefore are not appropriate for recovery through the ECRC.

# DENIED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

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ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The activities FPL has proposed are necessary to prudently implement an environmental requirement. Costs incurred for diving are typical ongoing O&M costs being recovered by FPL's current base rates and therefore are not appropriate for recovery through the ECRC.

## **APPROVED**

ISSUE 2: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. This docket should be closed upon issuance of the Consummating Order unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the Commission's decision files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the proposed agency action.

## **APPROVED**