

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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MAY 6, 2003

RE: Docket No. 030139-EI - Request for approval to begin depreciating Sanford Unit No. 4 using whole life depreciation rates currently approved for Martin Power Plant, Unit No. 4, by Florida Power & Light Company.

ISSUE 1: Should new depreciation rates be approved for Florida Power & Light's Sanford Unit No. 4?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The whole life depreciation rates shown on Attachment A of staff's April 24, 2003 memorandum should be approved for the repowered Sanford Unit No. 4, pending a comprehensive study in 2005 pursuant to Order No. PSC-02-1103-PAA-EI issued August 12, 2002, in Docket No. 020332-EI. The rates reflect those underlying the currently prescribed remaining life rates for Martin Common and Unit No. 4.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

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DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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ISSUE 2: What should be the implementation date for depreciation rates for Sanford Unit 4?

RECOMMENDATION: Depreciation rates should be implemented March 1, 2003, effective with the in-service date of the unit, as FPL has proposed.

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ISSUE 3: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a consummating order.

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