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## VIA HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Blanca Bayó, Director Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

## Re: Florida Power & Light Company's 2003 Capacity Request for Proposals

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Pursuant to Florida Administrative Code Rule 25-22.082(9), Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") is filing a copy of its capacity Request for Proposals ("RFP") issued today. Also enclosed are copies of the public notices given to apprise potential bidders of the RFP issuance today, the pre-issuance workshop on August 21, 2003 and the pre-bid workshop scheduled for September 2, 2003.

If you or your Staff have any questions regarding this transmittal, please contact me at (850) 222-2300.

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Respectfully,

Charles A. Guyton Attorney for Florida Power & Light Company

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## **Request for Proposals**

Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) is soliciting proposals of firm capacity and energy to satisfy a need for approximately 1,066 megawatts (MW) starting June 1, 2007.

Parties interested in submitting proposals in response to this request may obtain further information and register for receipt of the RFP by visiting our website at www.FPL.com/2003rfp, or you may contact Steven Scroggs, RFP Contact Person, Florida Power & Light Company, Resource Assessment and Planning Department, PO Box 029100, Miami, FL 33102-9100, (305) 552-4199, Steven\_Scroggs@FPL.com. Copies of the RFP will be available on August 25, 2003, Proposals must be submitted by 4:00 pm EDT by October 24, 2003 to the RFP Contact Person. After initial screening and evaluation, it is anticipated that a short list of proposers will be announced on or about January 15, 2004 with initial negotiations to follow. FPL expects to announce the final selection to fulfill the need on or about May 13, 2004.

Proposals will compete against FPL's next planned generating unit, a nominal 1,100 MW natural gas-fired combined cycle combustion turbine facility at FPL's Turkey Point Site. A nominal 600 MW facility located at FPL's Turkey Point Site will also be available for potential combination with proposals that partially fulfill the 2007 need.

An RFP Pre-Release Meeting will be held August 21, 2003 in Miami, FL to discuss the requirements of the RFP. A Pre-Bid Workshop will be held on September 2, 2003 in Miami, FL to discuss the RFP data requirements and assist potential proposers in understanding the RFP submittal process. Parties interested in attending either

meeting in person or by teleconference may register by contacting the RFP Contact Person.



FPL reserves the right to reject all proposals and to modify or cancel the RFP.

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