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Re:

Docket No.: 040001-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

On behalf of the Florida Industrial Power Users Group (FIPUG), enclosed for filing and distribution are the original and 1 copy of the following:

The Florida Industrial Power Users Group's Notice of Reaffirming Party Status.

Please acknowledge receipt of the above on the extra copy and return the stamped copy to me. Thank you for your assistance.

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Sincerely,

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THE FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL POWER USERS GROUP'S NOTICE OF REAFFIRMING PARTY STATUS

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