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Docket No. 040133-EU

In re: Petition of Withlacoochee River Electric
Cooperative, Inc., to modify a Territorial Agreement
with Progress Energy Florida, Inc., or, in the alternative,
to resolve a territorial dispute in Hernando County, Florida.

On behalf of **Progress Energy Florida and
Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative.**

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The attached document for filing is the parties
Joint Status Report,
including a filing letter.

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

Re: Docket No. 040133-EU

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing in the subject docket on behalf of Progress Energy Florida, Inc., and Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc. is the parties Joint Status Report pursuant to Commission Order No. PSC-04-0339-PCO-EU.

Please acknowledge your receipt of the above filing as provided in the Commission's electronic filing procedures. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

s/ James A. McGee

JAM/scc
Enclosures

cc: Brian P. Armstrong, Esquire

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc., to modify a Territorial Agreement with Progress Energy Florida, Inc., or, in the alternative, to resolve a territorial dispute in Hernando County, Florida

Docket No. 040133-EU

Submitted for filing:
June 1, 2004

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Progress Energy Florida, Inc. (Progress Energy) and Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc. (WREC), pursuant to Order No. PSC-04-0339-PCO-EU granting Progress Energy's Agreed Upon Motion to Toll Time, file this Joint Status Report and state as follows.

The settlement negotiations described in the Agreed Upon Motion to Toll Time remain ongoing. In addition to the initial settlement meeting referred to in the Motion, Progress Energy and WREC have met on several subsequent occasions to pursue settlement opportunities. In preparation for and in follow-up after these meetings, the parties have also conducted field investigations and evaluations to identify areas suitable for the development of settlement alternatives. The parties believe and therefore represent that additional time is warranted to continue the exploration of settlement opportunities.

The undersigned has been authorized by counsel for WREC to execute this Joint Status Report on WREC's behalf.

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Respectfully submitted,

s/ James A. McGee

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