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Docket No. 040001-El

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause and Generating Performance Incentive Factor.

On behalf of Progress Energy Florida.

Consisting of 4 pages.

The attached document for filing is Progress Energy's

Notice of Estimated Fuel and Capacity Cost

Under-Recovery Exceeding Ten Percent,
including a filing letter and a certificate of service.

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August 5, 2004

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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. 040001-EI

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing in the subject docket on behalf of Progress Energy Florida, Inc., is its Notice Of Estimated Fuel And Capacity Cost Under-Recovery Exceeding Ten Percent.

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 Enclosure

cc: Parties of record

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause and Generating Performance Incentive Factor. Docket No. 040001-EI

Submitted for filing: August 5, 2004

NOTICE OF ESTIMATED FUEL AND CAPACITY COST UNDER-RECOVERY EXCEEDING TEN PERCENT

Progress Energy Florida, Inc. (Progress Energy or the Company), pursuant to Order No. 13694 in Docket No. 840001-EI, hereby notifies the Commission that based on actual results to date, Progress Energy believes that year-end fuel and capacity costs will result in a true-up under-recovery which exceeds ten percent of its estimated 2004 year-end fuel and capacity costs.

Progress Energy is presently evaluating several possible alternatives for addressing the under-recovery and, if a mid-course correction is determined to appropriate, the Company will file its proposed treatment, with the necessary supporting data and calculations, as soon thereafter as the filing can be prepared. In the event the Company determines not to seek a mid-course correction at that time, a supplemental notice advising of the determination will be filed.

The purpose of this Notice is to inform the Commission and parties of the under-recovery anticipated by Progress Energy at the earliest possible time, rather than delaying this information until the Company's evaluation of alternatives has been completed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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PROGRESS ENERGY FLORIDA DOCKET No. 040001-EI

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing Notice has been furnished to the following individuals by regular U.S. Mail the _5^{tn}_ day of August, 2004.

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