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BY HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Blanca Bayó, Director Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Room 110, Easley Building Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 050004-GU; Florida Public Utilities Company

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Florida Public Utilities Company are an original and 10 copies of the following documents:

- 1. Florida Public Utilities Company's Petition for Approval of Conservation Cost Recovery True-Up Amount;
 - 2. Direct Testimony of Marc S. Seagrave; and
 - 3. Schedules CT-1, CT-2, CT-3, CT-4, CT-5, and CT-6.

Please indicate receipt of this document by stamping the enclosed extra copy of this letter.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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cc: Mr. Marc S. Seagrave Parties of Record

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Natural Gas Conservation Cost)	Docket No. 050004-GU
Recovery Clause)	Filed: May 4, 2005
)	

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY'S CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY TRUE-UP AMOUNT

Florida Public Utilities Company ("the Company"), through undersigned counsel and pursuant to the requirements of this docket, hereby petitions the Commission to approve its conservation cost recovery true-up amount for its natural gas division for the period January 2004 through December 2004. In support hereof, the Company states:

1) The Company is a natural gas utility company within the jurisdiction of this Commission. Its principal business address is:

401 South Dixie Highway West Palm Beach, FL 33401

2) The name and address of the person authorized to receive notices and communications with respect to this Petition are:

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3) Pursuant to the requirements of this Docket, the Company has prefiled testimony and the conservation cost recovery true-up forms (Composite Exhibit MSS-1) supplied by the Commission Staff in a manner consistent with the Commission Staff's instructions.

4) As indicated in the prefiled testimony and true-up forms, the Company underrecovered \$21,288 for January 2004 through December 2004.

WHEREFORE, the Company respectfully requests that this Commission enter its order approving the Company's true-up amount for its natural gas division for the period January 2004 through December 2004.

DATED this 4th day of May, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served by Hand Delivery (*) and/or U. S. Mail this 4th day of May, 2005 upon the following:

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