BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF PROCEEDING FOR DETERMINATION OF NEED FOR PROPOSED ELECTRICAL POWER PLANT

TO

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 060225-EI

PETITION OF FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR DETERMINATION OF NEED FOR PROPOSED ELECTRICAL POWER PLANT - WEST COUNTY UNITS 1 AND 2

ISSUED: March 17, 2006

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Rule 25-22.080(3), Florida Administrative Code, that the Florida Public Service Commission has received the petition of Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) for a determination of need for proposed electrical power plants in Palm Beach County. The petitioner proposes the construction of two new natural-gas fired, three-on-one combined cycle units which will utilize three Mitsubishi Power Systems 501G series advanced combustion turbines (CTs), three heat recovery steam generators (HRSGs) and one steam driven turbine generator. Each three-on-one unit is expected to have an approximate total rated peak capacity of 1,219 MW in summer and 1,335 MW in winter. West County Units 1 and 2 are expected to be placed in service by June 2009 and June 2010, respectively. This matter has been assigned Commission Docket No. 060225-EI.

Copies of the petition and supporting documentation are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following location:

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Room 110, Betty Easley Conference Center 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

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The final hearing in this docket has been scheduled for June 8, 2006

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission this 17th day of March, 2006.

BLANCA S. BAYO, Director/ Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services

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