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Ms. Ann Cole, Clerk of the Commission Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Docket No. 080065-TX - Response to Staff's Discovery Requests

Dear Ms. Cole:

The additional information Staff seeks by its discovery requests is integrally related to the jurisdictional question presented to the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") in Vilaire's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Subject Matter Jurisdiction, filed with the Commission on Monday, May 5, 2008, and ultimately, subject to federal review. Absent a decision on its motion, Vilaire is intent on preserving the issue of the Commission's jurisdiction for judicial review and is unwilling to waive its objections by providing further discovery. Vilaire believes that the Commission is without jurisdiction in this matter and, therefore, was without authority to compel discovery. Consequently, the Commission's discovery ruling was an invalid exercise of authority. Under these circumstances, Vilaire must respectfully decline to provide the information sought.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Response to Staff's Discovery Requests has been served via Electronic Mail* to the persons listed below this 9th day of May, 2008:

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