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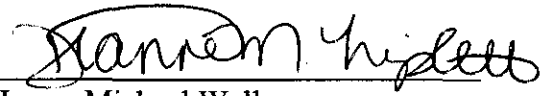
In Re: Petition for Determination of)
Need for Levy Units 1 and 2 Nuclear)
Power Plants.)
_____)

Docket No: 080148-EI COMMISSION
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NOTICE OF FILING AFFIDAVIT

Progress Energy Florida, Inc. hereby gives notice that it has filed the Affidavit of Sasha Weintraub in support of Progress Energy Florida's Eighth Request for Confidential Classification Regarding Staff's Seventh Set of Interrogatories Nos. 113 and 114.

Respectfully submitted,


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished to _____ counsel and parties of record as indicated on the attached service list via electronic and U.S. Mail this 29th day of May, 2008.


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In re: Petition for determination of need
for Levy Units 1 and 2 nuclear power plants,
by Progress Energy Florida, Inc.

Docket No. 080148-EI

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**AFFIDAVIT OF ALEXANDER (SASHA) WEINTRAUB IN SUPPORT OF PROGRESS
ENERGY FLORIDA'S REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION
REGARDING STAFF'S SEVENTH INTERROGATORIES NOS. 113 AND 114**

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF WAKE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority duly authorized to administer oaths, personally appeared Sasha Weintraub, who being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says that:

1. My name is Sasha Weintraub. I am over the age of 18 years old and I have been authorized by Progress Energy Florida (hereinafter "PEF" or the "Company") to give this affidavit in the above-styled proceeding on PEF's behalf and in support of PEF's Request for Confidential Classification. The facts attested to in my affidavit are based upon my personal knowledge.

2. I am the Vice President of Regulated Fuels Department. This department is responsible for the procurement of coal, natural gas, and fuel oil for PEF and Progress Energy Carolinas ("PEC") systems.

3. As the Vice President of Regulated Fuels Department, I am responsible for, among other things, the procurement of coal, natural gas, and fuel oil for PEF and PEC. I am also responsible for the Company's coal, natural gas, and fuel oil price forecasts used for

resource planning purposes and in connection with the Company's Ten Year Site Plan filing each year.

4. PEF is seeking confidential classification for its responses to the Staff's Seventh Interrogatories, specifically responses to interrogatories numbered 113 and 114. A detailed description of the confidential information at issue is contained in confidential Exhibit A to PEF's Eighth Request for Confidential Classification and is outlined in PEF's Justification Matrix that is attached to PEF's Eighth Request for Confidential Classification as Exhibit C. PEF is requesting confidential classification of these responses, because they contain confidential information regarding contracts between PEF and outside vendors who provide fuel forecasting data, the disclosure of which would compromise PEF's competitive business interests.

5. Staff's Interrogatories number 113 and 114 calls for documents regarding coal, oil, and natural gas forecasting data and market information, which PEF purchases from third party entities. The terms of the contracts under which PEF purchases these fuel forecasts requires PEF to maintain the information contained in these reports as confidential. Disclosure of this information would violate the terms of those confidentiality agreements. In addition, if PEF disclosed this confidential forecasting data, the third parties that sell this data may be unwilling in the future to offer such information to PEF, which could adversely affect PEF's competitive business interests in buying fuel.

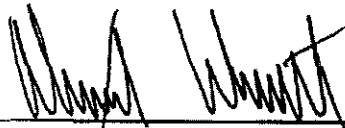
6. Upon receipt of this confidential information, and with its own confidential information, strict procedures are established and followed to maintain the confidentiality of the terms of the documents and information provided, including restricting access to those persons who need the information to assist the Company, and restricting the number of, and access to the information and contracts. At no time since receiving the contracts and information in question

has the Company publicly disclosed that information or contracts. The Company has treated and continues to treat the information and contracts at issue as confidential.

7. This concludes my affidavit.

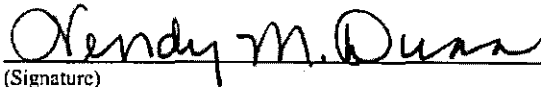
Further affiant sayeth not.

Dated the 28 day of May, 2008.



(Signature)
Alexander (Sasha) Weintraub
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410 S. Wilmington Street
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THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT was sworn to and subscribed before me this 28 day of May, 2008 by Sasha Weintraub. He is personally known to me, or has produced his n/a driver's license, or his n/a as identification.



(Signature)

Wendy M. Dunn

(Printed Name)

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NC

July 5, 2012

(Commission Expiration Date)

(AFFIX NOTARIAL SEAL)

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(Serial Number, If Any)