BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
 FILE

 In re: Petition for rate increase by Florida
 Docket No: 120015EI

 Power & Light Company
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 Filed: August 30, 2012
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## **<u>CITIZENS' MOTION FOR TIME CERTAIN FOR THE SPECIAL AGENDA</u>**

The Citizens of the State of Florida, by and through the Office of Public Counsel, file this Motion for a Time Certain for the Special Agenda. As grounds for said motion Citizens state as follows:

1. By Order No. PSC-12-0143-PCO-EI, Order Establishing Procedure (OEP), the schedule in this docket was established.

2. Starting August 20, 2012 through August 30, 2012, the Commission has been conducting an evidentiary hearing on the merits of the FPL Petition filed March 2012.

3. According to the Commission's website's CASR, the posted due date for the Special Agenda is November 8, 2012. The Commission calendar shows the Special Agenda beginning one hour after the conclusion of the cost recovery clause hearings on November 6 and 7 as well as starting at 9:30 a.m. on November 8, 2012.

4. Apart from the potential confusion regarding which date and times will be noticed in the FAW, it is unfair to the parties to require them to appear on multiple days due to the potential multiple start times for this important decision on FPL's revenue requirements.

5. Further, the potential multi-day start times creates practical attendance problems for the general public. The Office of Public Counsel has received contact from members of the general public who are FPL's ratepayers and wish to be physically present at the Special Agenda Conference during the Commissioners' deliberations. With an uncertain start time spanning several days, it is unduly burdensome and highly impractical for members of the general public to travel to Tallahassee on multiple days without any certainty that deliberations would actually begin. Citizens believe that some FPL ratepayers will be traveling from as far as South Florida – an eight hour drive.

COCUMENT NUMBER-CATE 0 5 9 1 8 AUG 30 ≅ FPSC-COMMISSION CLERK 6. Therefore, Citizens request that the Special Agenda be scheduled for a Time Certain on November 8, 2012, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

7. Counsel for FPL indicated that it has no position. FIPUG has not responded with a position. SFHHA takes no position. FEA indicated that it does not object. FRF supports the motion. Mr. Saparito indicated that he supports the motion. Mr. Hendricks indicated that he supports the motion.

WHEREFORE, Citizens request the Commission grant Motion for a Time Certain for the Special Agenda for November 8, 2012 at 9:30 a.m.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and foregoing <u>CITIZENS' MOTION FOR TIME</u> <u>CERTAIN FOR THE SPECIAL AGENDA</u> has been furnished by hand delivery on this 30th day of August, 2012, to the following:

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