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Via ELECTRONIC DELIVERY

Ms. Carlotta Stauffer, Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Duke Energy Florida, Inc. name change to Duke Energy Florida, LLC

Ms. Stauffer:

Please accept this letter as notification that on July 31, 2015, Duke Energy Florida, Inc. submitted Articles of Conversion and Articles of Organization to the Florida Department of State resulting in DEF's conversion to a Florida Limited Liability Company, Duke Energy Florida, LLC ("DEF").

Customers served by the former Duke Energy Florida, Inc. facilities will continue to receive service under the tariffed rates, rules, and classifications currently on file with the Commission for Duke Energy Florida, Inc.

DEF has reviewed Rule 25-9.044, F.A.C., Change of Ownership, and has determined that no additional Commission filing is necessary for DEF, LLC to adopt the existing tariffs of DEF, Inc. pursuant to Florida Statutes § 607.1114. Specifically, § 607.1114 (1) and (3), state that a domestic corporation converted into another business entity is "for all purposes the same entity that existed before the conversion" and is "responsible for all liabilities and obligations" of the converting corporation. DEF has completed and attached the Commission's Change of Information form to update the company's name from Duke Energy Florida, Inc. d/b/a Duke Energy to Duke Energy Florida, LLC d/b/a Duke Energy.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (850) 521-1428.

Sincerely,

/s/ Matthew R. Bernier
Matthew R. Bernier

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Attachment

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RE: CHANGE OF INFORMATION ON REGULATED UTILITY

Official Company Name: (As appears on certificate) DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, LLC d/b/a DUKE ENERGY	Mailing Name: (Must be part of official company name; 58 characters or less) DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA
Certificate No: (A separate form must be used for each certificate number) DOC #142619 EIN #590247770	Physical Location: 299 1 ST Avenue North St. Petersburg, FL 33701
Attention Line: (Person to whom all official FPSC correspondence is addressed) Robert Pickels	Mailing Address: 106 E. College Avenue Suite 800 Tallahassee, FL 32301-7740
Liaison Officer(s)	
Officer No. 1: Name: John T. Burnett Title: Deputy General Counsel Telephone No: 727-820-5184 Fax No: 727-820-5041 E-mail Address: john.burnett@duke-energy.com	Officer No. 2: Name: Dianne M. Triplett Title: Associate General Counsel Telephone No: 727-820-4692 Fax No: 727-820-5041 E-mail Address: dianne.triplett@duke-energy.com
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SUBMITTED BY COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE:

Name: Robert Pickels

Title: Director – State Government Affairs

Telephone No: 850-521-1421

Date: August 5, 2015