BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF COMMISSION PREHEARING AND HEARING

TO

DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, LLC

OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL

FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL POWER USERS GROUP

PCS PHOSPHATE – WHITE SPRINGS

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 150171-EI

PETITION FOR ISSUANCE OF NUCLEAR ASSET-RECOVERY FINANCING ORDER, BY DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, INC. D/B/A DUKE ENERGY

AND

DOCKET NO. 150148-EI

PETITION FOR APPROVAL TO INCLUDE IN BASE RATES THE REVENUE REQUIREMENT FOR THE CR3 REGULATORY ASSET, BY DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, INC.

ISSUED: September 9, 2015

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Public Service Commission will hold a prehearing conference and public hearing in the above referenced consolidated dockets, as follows:

PREHEARING CONFERENCE

A prehearing conference will be held at the following time and place:

Thursday, October 1, 2015, at 9:30 a.m. Hearing Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida NOTICE OF COMMISSION HEARING AND PREHEARING DOCKET NOS. 150171-EI, 150148-EI PAGE 2

The purpose of this prehearing conference is: (1) to define and limit, if possible, the number of issues; (2) to determine the parties' positions on the issues; (3) to determine what facts, if any, may be stipulated; (4) to dispose of any motions or other matters that may be pending; and (5) to consider any other matters that may aid in the disposition of this case.

HEARING

Wednesday, October 14, 2015, at 9:30 a.m. Hearing Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

Thursday, October 15, 2015 and Friday, October 16, 2015 have also been reserved for continuation of the hearing, if needed. The starting time of the next day's session will be announced at the conclusion of the prior day. The hearing may be adjourned early if all testimony is concluded.

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE:

The purpose of this hearing is to consider the petition of Duke Energy Florida, LLC for issuance of a nuclear asset-recovery financing order, the alternative petition of Duke Energy Florida, LLC for approval to include in base rates the revenue requirement for the CR3 regulatory asset, and any motions, stipulations, or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions or stipulations from the bench or may take the matters under advisement.

At the hearing, all parties shall be given the opportunity to present testimony and other evidence on the issues identified by the parties at the prehearing conference held on October 1, 2015. All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate at this proceeding should contact the Office of Commission Clerk no later than five days prior to the hearing at 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, via 1-800-955-8770 (Voice) or 1-800-955-8771 (TDD), Florida Relay Service.

JURISDICTION

This Commission is vested with jurisdiction over the subject matter of this proceeding by the provisions of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes. This proceeding will be governed by Chapter 366 in addition to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-6, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

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EMERGENCY CANCELLATION OF PROCEEDINGS

If settlement of the case or a named storm or other disaster requires cancellation of the proceedings, Commission staff will attempt to give timely direct notice to the parties. Notice of cancellation will also be provided on the Commission's website (http://www.psc.state.fl.us/) under the Hot Topics link found on the home page. Cancellation can also be confirmed by calling the Office of the General Counsel at 850-413-6199.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission this 9th day of September, 2015.

CARLOTTA S. STAUFFER

Commission Clerk

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