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Ms. Carlotta Stauffer, Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 RECEIVED-FPSC 016 JAN 12 AM 10: 59 COMMISSION

Re: Docket No. 150171-EI DEF's Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

On January 12, 2016, Duke Energy Florida, LLC ("DEF') electronically filed a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification concerning confidential information provided to the Bond Team created for this matter. As referenced in the Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification, enclosed with this cover letter is DEF's confidential Exhibit A (in a separate sealed envelope) that accompanies the above-referenced filing.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please feel free to call me at (727) 820-4692 should you have any questions concerning this filing.

Respectfully,

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Dianne M. Triplett

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