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August 19, 2016

VIA E-PORTAL – ELECTRONIC FILING

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

Re: Docket No. 160002-EG – Energy Conservation Cost Recovery Clause

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

Attached for electronic filing, please find Florida Public Utilities Company's Notice of Joinder in the Joint Petition for Waiver of Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code.

Should you have any questions whatsoever, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Energy Conservation Cost)
Recovery Clause.)
_____)
) Docket No. 160002-EG
) Filed: August 19, 2016

**NOTICE OF JOINDER BY FLORIDA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY IN
JOINT PETITION FOR WAIVER
OF RULE 25-17.015(1)(b), FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE**

Florida Public Utilities Company (“FPUC” or “the Company”), by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby files this Notice of Joinder, stating its joinder in and adoption of, the Joint Petition for Waiver of Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code, filed jointly on August 19, 2016, by Florida Power & Light Company, Duke Energy Florida, LLC, Tampa Electric Company, and Gulf Power Company (“Joint Petitioners”). In support of this Petition, FPUC states:

1. The Company is an electric utility subject to the Commission’s jurisdiction under Chapter 366, Florida Statutes, an existing party to this proceeding, and, like the Joint Petitioners, subject to Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code.

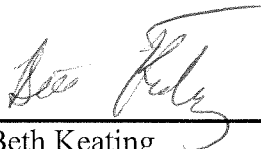
2. The Company is likewise required to make its actual/estimated filing by August 19, 2016; thus, it is also unable to prepare its filing based upon eight months of actual data and four months of projected data.

3. The Company is, however, able to provide data based upon six months of actual data and six months of projected data and agrees with the Joint Petitioners that such data provides a reasonable means of achieving the purpose of the underlying statutes.

WHEREFORE, Florida Public Utilities Company respectfully give notice of its joinder in

the Joint Petition for Waiver of Rule 25-17.015(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 19th day of August, 2016.



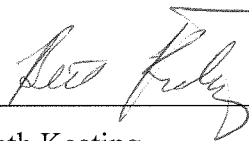
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by Electronic Mail to the following parties of record this 19th day of August, 2016:

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