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VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

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

Re: *Fuel and purchased power cost recovery clause with generating performance incentive factor; Docket No. 170001-EI*

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

On February 23, 2017, Duke Energy Florida, LLC ("DEF") electronically filed its Request for Confidential Classification in connection with certain information contained in its response to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-9) in the above-referenced matter. As referenced in the Request for 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 (850) 521-1428 should you have any questions concerning this filing.

Respectfully,

s/Matthew R. Bernier

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished via electronic mail this 23rd day of February, 2017 to all parties of record as indicated below.

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