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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: Docket 170057-EI Analysis of IOUs Hedging Practices

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

On June 26, 2017, Duke Energy Florida, LLC ("DEF) electronically filed a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification regarding DEF's Response to Sierra Club's First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-18). 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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MRB/at Enclosure