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FIFTH STAFF DATA REQUEST

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Re: Docket No. 20170150-EI - Petition for limited proceeding to include reliability and modernization projects in rate base by Floirda Public Utilities Company.

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Florida Public Utilities Company (FPUC) provide responses to the following data requests:

- 1. In response to staff's second data request, question 1, FPUC provided a list of projects completed from 2009 to 2015.
 - a. Does FPUC's modernization plan include both modernization/safety projects and storm hardening projects?
 - b. If so, which projects are modernization/safety projects and which projects are storm hardening projects?
- 2. In response to staff's second data request, question 1, FPUC described the second phase of the modernization plan.
 - a. Does FPUC have a plan as to what type and how many projects it will propose after the 16 projects identified in this Petition are completed?
 - b. How far out does FPUC plan projects related to its modernization plan?
- 3. In response to staff's second data request, questions 11 and 13, FPUC described the electronic reclosers in the NW Division and the SHN reclosers in the NE Division. Are these devices the same?

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Please file all responses electronically no later than Friday, September 15, 2017, on the Commission's website at www.floridapsc.com by selecting the Clerk's Office tab and Electronic Filing Web Form. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6218 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

s/ Suzanne Brownless
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