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Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 20170215-EU - Review of electric utility hurricane preparedness and restoration actions.

To Whom It May Concern:

By this letter, the Commission staff requested that each utility provide responses to the following data requests.

- 1. Please provide the following information for a specific example where storm hardened structures incurred damage and required repair or replacement due to Hurricane Irma.
 - a. A description of the damage incurred (i.e. broken pole, displaced underground vault, etc.). Not applicable
 - b. A description of the repair process, including a description of any temporary repairs that required a follow-up trip. <u>Not applicable</u>
 - c. A description of the repair process if the facilities had not been hardened. Not applicable

Choctawhatchee Electric Cooperative (CHELCO) serving Walton and Okaloosa Counties primarily in the western panhandle had no impact from Hurricane Irma.

Sincerely,

Donald Fugate

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