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From: Jacob Ve Vaughn on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Monday, March 8, 2021 10:53 AM
To: 'mcgrath.mh@gmail.com'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Docket No. 20200181; Modernize Florida's outdated energy savings practices

Good Morning, Margaret Mcgrath

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200181 and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

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From: mcgrath.mh@everyactioncustom.com <mcgrath.mh@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, March 7, 2021 5:21 PM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Docket No. 20200181; Modernize Florida's outdated energy savings practices

Dear Florida PSC Commissioners,

We know that energy efficiency is the quickest, cleanest, and cheapest way to meet Florida's energy needs and drive economic growth.

Yet the practices the Commission relies upon in setting goals for the state's largest utilities haven't been modernized in almost 30 years – and that has led to Florida's largest power companies badly trailing leading utilities in the Southeast and across the nation in delivering energy savings to families and businesses.

You have a unique opportunity through this rulemaking process to reform practices so they reflect modern industry standards. Let's level the playing field so energy savings programs compete on a fair basis with costly new power plants. Let's capture technological innovation and put it to work for a smarter grid. Let's consider reduction of carbon emissions as an important element in energy.

A lot has changed in 30 years. Let's modernize our practices so Florida can be a leader and live up to its name of "the sunshine state".

Sincerely,
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