



Dianne M. Triplett
Deputy General Counsel

November 15, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Adam J. Teitzman, Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: *Proposed adoption of Rule 25-18.020, F.A.C., Pole Inspection and Maintenance*; Docket No. 20210138-PU

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

On behalf of Duke Energy Florida, LLC ("DEF"), please find enclosed for electronic filing in the above-referenced Docket, DEF's Post-Workshop Comments re. Staff's Developmental Rulemaking Workshop that took place on October 27, 2021.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions concerning this Response, please feel free to contact me at (727) 820-4692.

Respectfully,

/s/ Dianne M. Triplett

Dianne M. Triplett

DMT/cmw
Enclosure

cc: Adria Harper

IN RE: PROPOSED ADOPTION OF RULE 25-18.020, F.A.C., POLE INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE.

DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, LLC'S ("DEF") POST-WORKSHOP COMMENTS

On September 21, 2021, the Florida Public Service Commission ("FPSC") published the Notice of Development of Rulemaking re. the proposed adoption of Rule 25-18.020, Florida Administrative Code ("F.A.C."), *Pole Inspection and Maintenance*, and on October 05, 2021, FPSC Staff ("Staff") attempted to host a Development of Rulemaking Workshop. Because of technical difficulties, the Workshop was unable to commence. Subsequently, on October 13, 2021, the FPSC published an additional Notice of Development of Rulemaking, and on October 27, 2021, Staff successfully held the Rulemaking Workshop in order to discuss pre-filed comments, as well as in-person comments, regarding Staff's proposed rule language and adoption of the Rule. Staff initially circulated their proposed rule language on September 21, 2021, and provided the updated version of the same via the FPSC website, under the "Rulemaking" tab, on October 20, 2021. Representatives of DEF and other Telecom companies participated in the Workshop, and some provided both general and specific comments on Staff's proposed language.

At the conclusion of the Workshop, Staff invited interested parties to provide subsequent, written comments. DEF does not have specific comments at this time, but respectfully requests the opportunity to provide comments at a later time, pending its review of comments from other parties.