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# Public Service Commission

April 23, 2024

Melissa Seixas  
State President, Duke Energy Florida, LLC  
299 First Avenue North  
St. Petersburg, FL 33701

**Re: Docket No. 20240025-EI, Petition for rate increase by Duke Energy Florida, LLC.**

Dear Ms. Seixas:

On April 2, 2024, Duke Energy Florida, LLC (Duke or Company) filed its Petition requesting authority to increase its rates and charges for electricity service pursuant to Section 366, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-6.043, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). On April 11, 2024, the Office of Public Counsel (OPC) submitted a letter with observations regarding Duke's filing. Duke submitted a response to OPC's letter on April 17, 2024.

In accordance with Rule 25-6.043, F.A.C., the petition must be accompanied by certain minimum filing requirements and copies of prepared direct testimony and exhibits for each witness testifying on behalf of the Company in support of the requested increase. We have reviewed the Company's filing and have determined that the Company has met the filing requirements imposed by this rule.

If you should have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Elisabeth J. Draper".

/s/ Elisabeth J. Draper  
Director of Economics

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cc: Dianne Triplett, Deputy General Counsel, Duke Energy Florida, LLC.  
Walt Trierweiler, Public Counsel  
Office of Commission Clerk