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TO: DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING

FROM: DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (PAUGH, ELIAS)

RE: DOCKET NO. 981890-EU - GENERIC INVESTIGATION INTO  
AGGREGATE ELECTRIC UTILITY RESERVE MARGINS PLANNED FOR  
PENINSULAR FLORIDA

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Attached is the agenda for the workshop scheduled for January 25, 1999, in this docket. Please attached this to the previously filed Notice of Workshop and enter into the docket file.

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Attachment  
cc: Division of Electric and Gas (Jenkins)  
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## FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STAFF WORKSHOP

DOCKET NO. 981890-EU - Generic Investigation Into Aggregate  
Electric Utility Reserve Margins Planned For Peninsular Florida

10:30 a.m., Monday, January 25, 1999  
Room 182, Betty Easley Conference Center  
4075 Esplanade Way  
Tallahassee, Florida

### Areas of Investigation

1. FRCC Reserve Margin Methodology
  - a. Methodology as driving force versus LOLP
  - b. Data adequacy
  - c. FRCC additive versus FPSC staff probabalistic assessment
2. Cold Weather Extremes
  - a. Number of cold weather extreme days since 1979 similar to Christmas 1989
  - b. Megawatt firm load not served with an FRCC 15% reserve margin
3. Non-Firm Load
  - a. Currently planned as a percent of the reserve margin
  - b. Capping non-firm load (for example, 25% of the reserve margin)
  - c. Frequency and duration of interruptions
4. Reserve Margin Standard
  - a. FRCC 15%
  - b. A higher standard until peninsular experience obtained (for example, 25%)
  - c. Allocation of peninsular reserves among utilities
  - d. FRCC enforcement
  - e. Treatment of merchant plant capacity
  - f. Non-firm notice provisions to return to firm
5. Price Spikes
  - a. Price spike level at which firm or non-firm load is interrupted to avoid purchase
  - b. Price spike level at which firm or non-firm load is interrupted to make sale

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