BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: Petition for Determination of Need of Hines Unit 2 Power Plant. DOCKET NO. 001064-EI

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FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION'S REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL RECOGNITION

Pursuant to Sections 90.202 and 90.203, <u>Fla.Stats</u>., Florida Power Corporation ("FRC" of the "Company") requests that the Florida Public Service Commission ("PSC" or the "Commission") take judicial notice of the items listed below, consisting of the following:

Review of Electric Utility 1999 Ten-Year Site Plans, December, 1999, Florida
 Public Service Commission, Division of Electric and Gas; Division of Auditing and Financial
 Analysis.

2. Hearing Transcript of the August 18, 1999 Agenda Conference in Docket No.

980783-EI, In Re: Petition by Gulf Power Company for waiver of portions of Rule 25-

22.082(4)(a), F.A.C., Selection of Generation Capacity.

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3. Hearing Transcript Volumes I-VI, In the Matter of Proposed Amendment of Rule 25-22.081, F.A.C.; and Proposed New Rule 25-22.082, F.A.C., Selection of Generating Capacity: Wednesday September 9, 1993; Thursday September 30, 1993; October 1, 1993.

4. New York Times article, *A Dwindling Faith in Deregulation*, by Neela Banerjee, Friday, September 15, 2000, Section C1.

5. New York Times article, *One Choice Too Many in Electricity's New Free Market*, by Kirk Johnson, August 17, 2000, New York Report.

6. Power Markets Week article, *High-Priced California Market Allows Dynegy To* <u>*Recover Plant Investments*</u>, September 11, 2000.

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 Final Order Approving Certification, In Re: Application for Power Plant

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 Certification of Florida Power Corporation Polk County Site, Before the Governor and Cabinet

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Sitting as the Florida Siting Board, dated January 25, 1994. (separate request made on Aug. 7, 2000).

The foregoing items are public records, transcripts of public Commission hearings, and/or self-authenticating newspaper or periodical articles pursuant to <u>Fla. Stat.</u> 90.902(6), and FPC believes that the Commission has full authority and ability to consider these items in connection with this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, FPC requests that the Commission take judicial notice of the foregoing items.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT a true and correct copy of the foregoing have been furnished by facsimile to Deborah Hart, Esq., as counsel for the Florida Public Service Commission and to Suzanne Brownless, as counsel for Panda Energy International, Inc. and has been furnished by U.S. Mail to all other interested parties of record as listed below on this <u>25th</u> of October, 2000.

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