BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition to determine need for an electrical power plant in Martin County by Florida Power & Light Company.

In re: Petition to determine need for an electrical power plant in Manatee County by Florida Power & Light Company. DOCKET NO. 020262-EI

DOCKET NO. 020263-EI ORDER NO. PSC-02-0544-FOF-EI ISSUED: April 19, 2002

ORDER AUTHORIZING QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVE STATUS

On April 16, 2002, Jay Molyneaux, Attorney for Florida Power & Light Company (FP&L), filed a written request pursuant to Rule 28-106.106, Florida Administrative Code, for R. Wade Litchfield, Senior Attorney, 700 Universe Boulevard, Juno Beach, Florida 33408-0420, to appear as Qualified Representative for FP&L in Dockets Nos. 020262-EI and 020263-EI. After reviewing the request, it appears that R. Wade Litchfield has the necessary qualifications to responsibly represent FP&L's interests in a manner which will not impair the fairness of the proceeding or the correctness of the action to be taken. Having met the requirements of Rule 28-106.106(4), Florida Administrative Code, R. Wade Litchfield is authorized to appear as Qualified Representative on behalf of FP&L in this docket.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner J. Terry Deason, as Prehearing Officer, that Wade Litchfield, Senior Attorney, 700 Universe Boulevard, Juno Beach, Florida 33408-0420, is hereby authorized to appear as Qualified Representative on behalf of Florida Power & Light Company in this docket. It is further

ORDERED that any pleading, motion, notice, order, or other document required to be served upon Florida Power & Light Company shall be served upon the following individuals:

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

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William G. Walker, III Vice President Florida Power & Light Company 215 South Monroe Street, Suite 810 Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1859

Jay Molyneaux, Attorney Florida Power & Light Company 700 Universe Boulevard Juno Beach, Florida 33408-0420

By ORDER of Commissioner J. Terry Deason, as Prehearing Officer, this 19th day of April _____, 2002 _.

J. TERRY DEASON

Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

(SEAL)

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by

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filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) davs of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water and/or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk Administrative Services and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.