BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for rate increase by Progress Energy Florida, Inc.

Docket No. 050078-EI

Submitted for filing May 23, 2005

PROGRESS ENERGY FLORIDA, INC.'S NOTICE OF SERVICE OF VERIFICATION OF ANSWERS TO OPC'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 1-57)

Progress Energy Florida Inc. hereby gives notice of service of Progress Energy Florida, Inc.'s verification of responses to the Office of Public Counsel's ("OPC") First Set of Interrogatories to Progress Energy Florida, Inc. (Nos. 1-57) served May 24, 2005, to Harold McLean, Office of the Public Counsel.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished electronically and via U.S. Mail this day of May, 2005 to all counsel of record as indicated below.

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I hereby certify that on this 24th day of May 2005, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared, Javier J. Portuondo, who is personally known to me, and he acknowledged before me that the answers to interrogatory numbers 1-57 from the Office of Public Counsel ("OPC") in Docket No(s). 050078-EI were provided from the following individuals:

Interrogatory 1-3, 5, 9, 21, 38, 41-46, 50, 53-56: Interrogatory 4, 6-8, 10-14, 18-20, 22, 24-27,

29-36, 47-48:

Interrogatory 16-17, 23, 28, 39, 52:

Interrogatory 37, 51:

Interrogatory 15:

Interrogatory 40, 49:

Interrogatory 57:

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and that the responses are true and correct based on his/her personal knowledge.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal in the State and County aforesaid as of this 24th day of May, 2005.

Javier Portuondo