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- 3. The total number of pages is 2; and
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Petition for determination of need for	)	
expansion of Crystal River 3 nuclear	)	
power plant, for exemption from	)	Docket No.: 060642-EI
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cost recovery through fuel clause, by	)	
Progress Energy Florida	)	Submitted for filing December 14, 2006
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# THE FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL POWER USERS GROUP'S PRELIMINARY LIST OF ISSUES

Florida Industrial Power User's Group through its undersigned attorney files this preliminary list of Issues.

**ISSUE 1:** Should PEF's request for exemption be granted?

FIPUG POSITION: Yes

**ISSUE 2** Is there a need for the uprate?

FIPUG POSITION: Yes

**ISSUE 3:** Is the estimated cost reasonable?

**FIPUG POSITION:** No Position at this time.

**ISSUE 4:** Will the uprate provide fuel diversity and reliability?

**FIPUG POSITION:** Yes as to diversity, no position as to reliability.

**ISSUE 5:** Is conservation a viable substitute?

FIPUG POSITION: No

**ISSUE 6:** Is the uprate the most cost effective alternative?

FIPUG POSITION: Yes based upon the presently unrebutted testimony of PEF

**ISSUE 7:** Should the determination of need be granted?

FIPUG POSITION: Yes, subject to proof of prudent expenditure.

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**<u>ISSUE 8:</u>** Will the uprate provide fuel savings by displacing present gas fired generation?

FIPUG POSITION: No.

**ISSUE 9:** Should the Public Service Commission allow uprate capital costs to be recovered through the fuel clause?

FIPUG POSITION: No.

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing The Florida Industrial Power Users Group's Petition to Intervene has been furnished by electronic mail and U.S. Mail the 14th day of December 2006, to the following:

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