BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF NEED DETERMINATION PROCEEDINGS

TO

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY,
DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 20170225-EI

PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF NEED FOR DANIA BEACH CLEAN ENERGY CENTER UNIT 7, BY FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY.

ISSUED: October 27, 2017

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Rule 25-22.080(3), Florida Administrative Code, that the Florida Public Service Commission has received a petition from Florida Power & Light (FPL) for a determination of need for the Dania Beach Clean Energy Center. FPL proposes to construct a natural gas-fired combined cycle power plant, with an expected summer peak rating of 1,163 megawatts (MW), at the site of FPL's existing Lauderdale plant site in Broward County, Florida. According to FPL's petition, the Dania Beach Clean Energy Center will enable FPL to replace the older, less efficient existing Lauderdale Units 4 and 5 at the site, to produce economic, reliability, and fuel usage benefits for FPL's customers. This matter has been assigned Commission Docket No. 20170225-EI.

Copies of the petition and supporting documentation are available for public inspection on the Commission's website (www.floridapsc.com) and during normal business hours at the following location:

Florida Public Service Commission Office of Commission Clerk 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF NEED DETERMINATION PROCEEDINGS DOCKET NO. 20170225-EI PAGE 2

The final hearing in this docket has been scheduled to begin on January 18, 2018.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission this <u>27th</u> day of <u>October</u>, <u>2017</u>.

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Copies furnished: A copy of this document is provided to the parties of record at the time of issuance and, if applicable, interested persons.

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