## **Brandy Butler**

From: Ellen Plendl

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 2:15 PM

To:Consumer CorrespondenceSubject:Docket 20170007-EI

Attachments: Governor's Assignment Case Number 669,294 EOG000434343; phil-camilloucci-fpsc-

response.pdf

See attached email and reply and add to the correspondence side of Docket 20170007-EI

## **Brandy Butler**

From: CRM.CitizenServices < CRM.CitizenServices@eog.myflorida.com>

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 1:08 PM

To: Ellen Plendl

**Subject:** Governor's Assignment | Case Number: 669,294 | EOG:000434343

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Additional Information			

#### **Description**

Note	
\$200M FPL Bailout	

#### **Case Assignment**

Assigned To:	PSC - Public Service Commission	Due Date:	1/10/2018 10:34 AM

You have an assignment from the Executive Office of the Governor.

Please have staff review and respond as appropriate.

Please copy the link below to close the assignment, provide resolution information or request an extension/reassignment.

Click Here to Update the Case

If you have questions about this assignment, please send an email to CRM.CitizenServices@eog.myflorida.com.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Orcel

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# **Public Service Commission**

December 21, 2017

Mr. Phil Camillocci 1302 SE Madison Avenue Stuart, FL 34996

RE: FPSC Inquiry Number 1265510C

Dear Mr. Camillocci:

The Governor's office forwarded a copy of your correspondence regarding Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) to the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC). The FPSC regulates investor-owned electric, and natural gas utilities throughout the state, and investor-owned water and wastewater utilities in those counties which have opted to transfer jurisdiction to the FPSC. The FPSC has authority in the telephone industry which is limited to the Lifeline Assistance Program, Florida Relay Service, and pay telephone service. You expressed a concern about FPL's environmental cost recovery.

On December 12, 2017, the Commission found that FPL acted prudently in complying with environmental regulatory agencies' requirements for its Turkey Point Cooling Canal Monitoring Plan. FPL asked to recover the plan's costs through the FPSC's Environmental Cost Recovery Clause (ECRC).

The Commission found that while under the oversight of three different government agencies, and their respective monitoring requirements, none of the agencies found that FPL withheld or submitted false data. After a thorough review of the record, the PSC concluded that FPL was prudent in its actions and expenditures for the historic operation of Turkey Point's Cooling Canal Monitoring Plan. As required for ECRC recovery, FPL's monitoring plan is prudent and part of a government mandated regulation and, therefore, the plan's costs are appropriate for recovery.

While finding that FPL acted prudently, the FPSC disallowed recovery of the utility's \$1.5 million escrow payment required by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection. FPL did not meet its burden of proof that the funds would be used to benefit FPL's ratepayers. FPL's 2017 and 2018 monitoring project costs and escrow payment removal are subject to true-up in future ECRC proceedings.

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The FPSC held an evidentiary hearing on October 25-27, 2017, which included parties from FPL, the Office of Public Counsel, the Florida Industrial Power Users Group, and the Southern Alliance for Clean Energy.

We appreciate your comments and will add your correspondence to Docket No. 20170007-EI. If you want further case information, visit the FPSC's website, www.floridapsc.com and click on the Clerk's Office tab, then hit Dockets and type in case number 20170007; all case submissions can be found by accessing the Document Filing Index.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Ms. Ellen Plendl at 1-800-342-3552 or by fax at 1-800-511-0809.

Sincerely,

Randy Roland

Regulatory Program Administrator

Office of Consumer Assistance & Outreach

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