### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for approval of FPL

SolarTogether program and tariff, by Florida

Power & Light Company.

DOCKET NO. 20190061-EI

DATED: January 3, 2020

#### COMMISSION STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

Pursuant to Order No. PSC-2019-0272-PCO-EI, filed July 5, 2019, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission files its Prehearing Statement.

### 1. <u>All Known Witnesses</u>

Casey Hinton.

### 2. All Known Exhibits

There are no known exhibits at this time.

### 3. Staff's Statement of Basic Position

Staff's positions are preliminary and based on materials filed by the parties and on discovery. The preliminary positions are offered to assist the parties in preparing for the hearing. Staff's final positions will be based upon all the evidence in the record and may differ from the preliminary positions stated herein.

### 4. Staff's Position on the Issues

**ISSUE 1:** Is FPL's proposed SolarTogether Rider tariff an appropriate mechanism to seek approval for the construction of 1,490 MW of new solar generation facilities?

**POSITION:** Staff has no position at this time.

**ISSUE 2:** Does FPL's proposed SolarTogether Rider tariff give any undue or unreasonable preference or advantage to any person or locality or subject the same to any undue or unreasonable prejudice or disadvantage in any respect, contrary to Section 366.03, Florida Statutes?

**POSITION:** Staff has no position at this time.

**ISSUE 3:** Should the Commission allow recovery of all costs and expenses associated with FPL's proposed SolarTogether Program in the manner proposed by FPL?

**POSITION:** Staff has no position at this time.

**ISSUE 4:** Should the Commission approve FPL's proposed SolarTogether Program and associated tariff, Rate Schedule STR, which is the same tariff attached as Attachment I to the Settlement Agreement filed October 9, 2019?

**POSITION:** Staff has no position at this time.

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**ISSUE 5:** What adjustments, if any, should the Commission make to any affiliate

transaction costs associated with FPL's Solar Together Rider tariff?

**POSITION:** Staff has no position at this time.

**ISSUE 6:** Should this docket be closed?

**POSITION:** Staff has no position at this time.

### 5. <u>Stipulated Issues</u>

None at this time.

### 6. Pending Motions

Staff has no pending motions.

# 7. <u>Pending Confidentiality Claims or Requests</u>

Staff has no pending confidentiality claims or requests.

## 8. Objections to Witness Qualifications as an Expert

None at this time.

# 9. <u>Compliance with Order No. PSC-2019-0272-PCO-EI</u>

Staff has complied with all requirements of the Order Establishing Procedure entered in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 3rd day of January, 2020.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT has been filed with the Office of Commission Clerk and that a true copy has been furnished to the following by electronic mail this 3rd day of January, 2020:

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