BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Petition for change in
AFUDC rate by Florida Power
and Light Company.

) DOCKET NO. 920463-EI
) ORDER NO. PSC-92-1033-FOF-EI
) ISSUED: 09/23/92

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman SUSAN F. CLARK J. TERRY DEASON BETTY EASLEY LUIS J. LAUREDO

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION

ORDER GRANTING REVISED AFUDC RATE

BY THE COMMISSION:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are adversely affected files a petition for a formal proceeding, pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

On May 15, 1992, Florida Power and Light Company (FPL) requested that their Allowance for Funds Used During Construction (AFUDC) rate of 8.46% be increased to 8.61%, effective January 1, 1992. The computation of this AFUDC rate used FPL's 13-month average capital structure for the period ended December 31, 1991, a return on equity of 12.80% approved by this Commission in Order No. 22490, and is in accordance with our Rule 25-06.0141, Florida Administrative Code.

We find that FPL's request is reasonable and in accord with our applicable rule, and we approve it.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that effective January 1, 1992, the AFUDC rate for Florida Power and Light Company is hereby set at 8.61% based upon the 13-month average capital structure for the period ended December 31, 1991. It is further

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ORDERED that the appropriate compounding monthly rate to maintain a simple rate of 8.61% is .0069065. It is further

ORDERED that, in the event that no timely protest is received, this docket shall be closed and the AFUDC rate of 8.61% shall be effective as of January 1, 1992.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 23rd day of September, 1992.

STEVE TRIBBLE, Director

Division of Records and Reporting

(SEAL)

MCB: bmi

NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

The Commission's decision on this tariff is interim in nature and will become final, unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed files a petition for a formal proceeding, as provided by Rule 25-22.036(4), Florida Administrative Code, in the form provided by Rule 25-22.036(7)(a)(d) and (e), Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on October 14, 1992.

In the absence of such a petition, this Order shall become final on the day subsequent to the above date.

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Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this Order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

If this Order becomes final on the date described above, any party adversely affected may request judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or by the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or sewer utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days of the date this Order becomes final, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.