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Ms. Linda Williams
Division of Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
Betty Easley Conference Center
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Room 110
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

**Re: Florida Power & Light Company's Request for
Confidential Classification of Certain Material
Provided in Connection with the Monthly Fuel Filings;
Docket No. 000001-EI**

Dear Ms. Williams:

Pursuant to your telephone conversation with my assistant, I enclose and hand you herewith for filing in the above-referenced matter, the original and five (5) copies of Florida Power & Light Company's ("FPL") revised page 2 of the Request for Confidential Classification. Paragraph 2 of the revised Request reflects the correct month as May 2000. Please replace page 2 of the August 1, 2000 Request with the enclosed revised page.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

R. Wade Litchfield

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2. The following attachments are included herewith and made a part hereof:

a. Attachment A is the complete and unedited version of FPL's May 2000 Form 423-1(a) which contains certain information that FPL asserts should be accorded confidential treatment. The information in Attachment A for which FPL seeks confidential classification has been highlighted. Attachment A is submitted separately in a sealed envelope marked **"CONFIDENTIAL."**

b. Attachment B is the edited version of Attachment A. All information that FPL asserts is entitled to confidential treatment has been blocked out in Attachment B.

c. Attachment C identifies information for which confidential treatment is sought and, with regard to each item or type of information, contains a brief statement that explains the need for confidentiality and refers to the specific statutory basis or bases for the request.

3. Pursuant to section 366.093, FPL seeks confidential protection for the information highlighted in Attachment A. FPL submits that such information is proprietary confidential business information within the meaning of section 366.093(3). Pursuant to section 366.093, such materials are entitled to confidential treatment and are exempt from the disclosure provisions of the public records law. Thus, once the Commission determines that the information in question is proprietary confidential business information, the Commission is not required to engage in any further analysis or review such as weighing the harm of disclosure against the public interest in access to the information.

4. FPL requests that the Commission make the following findings with respect to the No. 3 and No. 6 fuel oil information identified as confidential on Attachments A and C:

The No. 3 and No. 6 fuel oil data identified are contractual data; and FPL's ability to procure No. 3 and No. 6 fuel oil, terminaling and transportation services, and petroleum inspection services is reasonably likely to be impaired by the disclosure of the information identified because:

- (1) the markets in which FPL, as a buyer, must procure No. 3 and No. 6 fuel oil, terminaling and transportation services, and fuel inspection services are oligopolistic;