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DATE: November 19, 2007

TO: Ann Cole, Commission Clerk - PSC, Office of Commission Clerk

FROM: Martha C. Brown, Senior Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

RE: UNDOCKETED - RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS WORKSHOP

Please issue the Agenda for the RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS WORKSHOP, to be held Thursday, December 5, 2007, to all interested parties.

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Agenda

Florida Public Service Commission Staff Workshop on a Renewable Portfolio Standard

December 6, 2007

The purpose of the workshop is for the Florida Public Service Commission's staff to gather information on issues relevant to the development and implementation of a Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) for Florida. The workshop will follow an open discussion format and will focus on: 1) methods to encourage specific renewables, 2) methods to encourage compliance, 3) compliance verification and tracking, and 4) straw man RPS structures proposed by stakeholders.

- A. Opening Remarks by FPSC Staff
- B. Presentation by Judy Harlow, FPSC Staff

Topic: Questions for Today's Discussion

D. Open Discussion

Topics for Discussion:

- 1. Methods to Encourage Specific Renewables
 - a. Multipliers versus set asides or tiered goals

Presentation by Robert McGee, Gulf Power Company

Topic: Multiplier Example

- b. How should multipliers or tiered goals be set?
- 2. Methods to Encourage Compliance
 - a. Alternative compliance payments and/or penalties
 - 1. How should alternative compliance payments and/or penalties be set?
 - 2. How should the resulting funds be used?
 - b. Cost recovery and incentive mechanisms
- 3. Compliance Verification and Tracking
 - a. Mechanisms that have been used to evaluate, verify, measure, and track RECs
 - b. How should self service generation and energy efficiency (if eligible) be measured and verified?
 - c. The role of the FPSC in ensuring compliance

4. Discussion of Stakeholder Proposed RPS Structures

During this section of the workshop, the stakeholders will be provided with an opportunity to summarize their RPS proposals.

- a. Presentation by FPL
- b. Presentation by Barry Moline, FMEA
- c. Other stakeholder proposals, if any

F. Request for Post-Workshop Comments

G. Adjourn