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June 15, 2021

### VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Adam Teitzman Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 20210015-EI

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Dear Mr. Teitzman:

I enclose for filing in the above docket Florida Power & Light Company's ("FPL") Request for Confidential Classification of Information contained in its response to Office of Public Counsel's ("OPC") Fourteenth Set of Interrogatories No. 246. The request includes Exhibits A, B (two copies), C and D. Exhibit A consists of the documents containing confidential information. Exhibit A is submitted for filing in an envelope marked "EXHIBIT A" – CONFIDENTIAL. Exhibit B is an edited version of Exhibit A, in which the information FPL asserts is confidential has been redacted. Exhibit C is a justification table in support of FPL's Request for Confidential Classification. Exhibit D contains the declarations in support of FPL's Request. In accordance with Rule 25-22.006(3)(d), Florida Administrative Code, FPL requests confidential treatment of the information in Exhibit A pending disposition of FPL's Request for Confidential Classification.

Please contact me if you or your Staff has any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

s/ Maria Jose Moncada

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### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by Florida Power & Light | Docket No. 20210015-EI Company for Rate Unification and for Base Rate Increase

Filed: June 15, 2021

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY'S REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION OF CERTAIN INFORMATION PROVIDED IN ITS RESPONSES TO THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL'S FOURTEENTH SET OF INTERROGATORIES (No. 246)

Pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes ("Fla. Stat."), and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") requests confidential classification of certain information provided in its responses to the Office of Public Counsel's ("OPC") Fourteenth Set of Interrogatories No. 246 (the "Confidential Information"). In support of its Request, FPL states as follows:

- FPL served responses to OPC's Fourteenth Set of Interrogatories Nos. 246-247, on 1. June 15, 2021. This request is being filed contemporaneously with service of those responses to request confidential classification of certain information contained in its response to OPC's Fourteenth Set of Interrogatories No. 246, consistent with Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code.
  - The following exhibits are included with and made a part of this request: 2.
- Exhibit A consists of a copy of the confidential material on which all the a. information that FPL asserts is entitled to confidential treatment has been highlighted.
- Exhibit B consists of a copy of the confidential documents, on which all the b. information that is entitled to confidential treatment under Florida law has been redacted.
- Exhibit C is a table that identifies by column and line the information for c. which confidential treatment is being sought and references the specific statutory basis for the

claim of confidentiality. Exhibit C also identifies the declarant who supports the requested classification.

- d. Exhibit D contains the declarations of the individual who supports the requested classification.
- 3. The Confidential Information is intended to be and has been treated by FPL as private, its confidentiality has been maintained, and its disclosure would cause harm to FPL and its customers. Pursuant to Section 366.093, Fla. Stat., 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. As described in the declaration included as Exhibit D, the Confidential Information contains information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. Specifically, some information pertains to employee incentive compensation payment projections, which, if made public, could make it more difficult for FPL to hire and retain talented employees. This information is protected by Section 366.093(3)(e), Fla. Stat.
- 5. Upon a finding by the Commission that the Confidential Information is proprietary confidential business information, the information should not be declassified for a period of at least eighteen (18) months and should be returned to FPL as soon as the information is no longer necessary for the Commission to conduct its business. See§ 399.093(4), Fla. Stat.

WHEREFORE, for the above and foregoing reasons, as more fully set forth in the supporting materials and declarations included herewith, FPL respectfully requests that its Request for Confidential Classification be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

### FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

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**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by electronic mail this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 2021 to the following parties:

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# **EXHIBIT B**

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## QUESTION:

For the FPL ESCO Incentive Plan addressed in the Company's response to OPC Production of Documents (POD) No. 48 Supplemental Attachment 6:

- a. Identify the total FPL-Gulf combined amount for the 2022 rate year and provide a breakout between O&M expense and capitalized cost.
- b. Identify the total FPL-Gulf combined amount for the 2023 rate year and provide a breakout between O&M expense and capitalized cost.
- c. For each year, 2022 and 2023, explain how the split between O&M expense and capitalized cost for this incentive plan is determined.

## **RESPONSE:**

- a. Total FPL forecasted amount for FPL ESCO incentive for 2022 is All costs are O&M.
- b. Total FPL forecasted amount for FPL ESCO incentive for 2023 is All costs are O&M.
  - c. All costs are O&M.

# **EXHIBIT C**

# JUSTIFICATION TABLE

## **EXHIBIT C**

**COMPANY:** 

Florida Power & Light Company

TITLE:

Petition by Florida Power & Light Company for Base Rate Increase and Rate Unification

Company

**DOCKET NO.:** 

20210015-EI June 15, 2021

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OPC'S 14th Set of Interrogatories, No. 246	N/A	N/A	Forecasted ESCO incentive amounts	1	Y	Lines 1-2	(e)	Kathleen Slattery

# **EXHIBIT D**

# **DECLARATIONS**

#### EXHIBIT D

### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by Florida Power & Light Company for Rate Unification and for Base Rate Increase

Docket No: 20210015-EI

### **DECLARATION OF KATHLEEN SLATTERY**

- 1. My name is Kathleen Slattery. I am currently employed by Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") as Senior Director, Executive Services and Compensation. I have personal knowledge of the matters stated in this written declaration.
- 2. I have reviewed the documents referenced and incorporated in FPL's Request for Confidential Classification, specifically the materials provided in response to OPC's Fourteenth Set of Interrogatories No. 246. The documents or materials that I have reviewed and which are asserted by FPL to be proprietary confidential business information contain competitive business information the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of FPL. Specifically, the information contains employee incentive information which, if made public, could make it more difficult for FPL to hire and retain talented employees. To the best of my knowledge, FPL has maintained the confidentiality of these documents and materials.
- 3. Consistent with the provisions of the Florida Administrative Code, such materials should remain confidential for a period of not less than 18 months. In addition, they should be returned to FPL as soon as the information is no longer necessary for the Commission to conduct its business so that FPL can continue to maintain the confidentiality of these documents.
- 4. Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing declaration and that the facts stated in it are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Kathleen Slattery

Date: 6-14-2021