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From: Office of Commissioner Passidomo
Sent: Monday, August 2, 2021 11:44 AM
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Subject: Docket No. 20200181

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Please place the attached in Docket No. 20200181.

Thank you!

From:

Cgerstle@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Claude Gerstle

<Cgerstle@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Monday, August 2, 2021 11:36 AM

To:

Office of Commissioner Passidomo

Subject:

Docket No. 20200181; Modernize Florida's outdated energy savings practices

Dear Commissioner Gabriella Passidomo,

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Sincerely, Claude Gerstle Cgerstle@alum.mit.edu

From: jeraldwoloszynski@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jerald Woloszynski

<jeraldwoloszynski@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Jerald Woloszynski Palm Harbor, FL 34685 jeraldwoloszynski@gmail.com

To:

mdipboye@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Dipboye From:

<mdipboye@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Monday, August 2, 2021 11:17 AM Office of Commissioner Passidomo

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Sincerely, Mary Dipboye Winter Park, FL 32792 mdipboye@yahoo.com

From: masingleton@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Martha Singleton

<masingleton@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Monday, August 2, 2021 11:08 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Passidomo

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Sincerely, Martha Singleton Miami, FL 33143 masingleton@yahoo.com

From: cnandca@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Carol Nicholson

<cnandca@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Monday, August 2, 2021 11:07 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Passidomo

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Dear Commissioner Gabriella Passidomo,

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Sincerely, Carol Nicholson Alachua, FL 32615 cnandca@gmail.com

From: bj.snell@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Barbara Snell

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**Sent:** Monday, August 2, 2021 11:03 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Passidomo

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Sincerely,
Barbara Snell
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From: pat71145@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Patricia Davenport <pat71145

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Sincerely, Patricia Davenport Knoxville, TN 37924 pat71145@aol.com

From: rickscustompainting@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Fred Rilling

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