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Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 BECEIVED-FPSC
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Re: Docket No. 040001-EI

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing in the subject docket on behalf of Progress Energy Florida, Inc., are an original and fifteen copies of its Notice of Intent to Retain Party Status.

Please acknowledge your receipt of the above filing on the enclosed copy of this letter and return to the undersigned. A 3½ inch diskette containing the above-referenced document in Word format is also enclosed. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

James A. McGee

JAM/scc Enclosures

cc: Parties of record



BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause and Generating Performance Incentive Factor. Docket No. 040001-EI

Submitted for filing: January 7, 2004

PROGRESS ENERGY FLORIDA'S NOTICE OF INTENT TO RETAIN PARTY STATUS

Progress Energy Florida, Inc. hereby files this notice of its intent to retain party status in the above docket and requests that all pleadings, orders, notices and other papers filed in this proceeding be served on the following:

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing has been furnished to the following individuals by regular U.S. Mail the day of January, 2004.

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