### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for rate increase by Florida Power & Light Company.

DOCKET NO. 20250011-EI ORDER NO. PSC-2025-0368-PCO-EI ISSUED: October 6, 2025

# ORDER GRANTING STAFF OF THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION'S NOTICE OF INTENT TO SEEK AND MOTION FOR OFFICIAL RECOGNITION

# **Background**

Consistent with the requirements of Section VI(H) of the Order Establishing Procedure, staff of the Florida Public Service Commission Staff (PSC staff) timely filed a Notice of Intent to Seek and Motion for Official Recognition of the following:

- **Exhibit A:** 2020 Annual Report on Activities Pursuant to the Florida Energy Efficiency and Conservation Act, issued February 2021.
- **Exhibit B:** 2021 Annual Report on Activities Pursuant to the Florida Energy Efficiency and Conservation Act, issued November 2021.
- **Exhibit C:** 2022 Annual Report on Activities Pursuant to the Florida Energy Efficiency and Conservation Act, issued December 2022.
- **Exhibit D:** 2023 Annual Report on Activities Pursuant to the Florida Energy Efficiency and Conservation Act, issued November 2023.
- **Exhibit E:** 2024 Annual Report on Activities Pursuant to the Florida Energy Efficiency and Conservation Act, issued December 2024.

No party filed a response to PSC staff's request, and the time for doing so has expired.

## Analysis and Decision

Official recognition in administrative proceedings is governed by the same substantive provisions as judicial notice in civil actions. Section 120.569(2)(i), Florida Statutes (F.S.), and Rule 28-106.213(6), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). After notice and upon sufficient motion, official recognition is mandatory as to certain matters and permissive as to others. Pursuant to Section 90.202(5), F.S., judicial notice of "[o]fficial actions of the legislative, executive, and judicial departments of the United States and of any state, territory, or jurisdiction of the United States" is permissive.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Order No. PSC-2025-0075-PCO-EI, issued August 4, 2025

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The five reports for which PSC staff request official recognition meet the above-cited requirements of Section 90.202(5), F.S., as official actions of the Florida Public Service Commission required by statute.<sup>2</sup> In light of the foregoing, PSC staff's Motion for Official Recognition is granted.

Therefore, it is

ORDERED by Chairman Mike La Rosa, as Prehearing Officer, that the Notice of Intent to Seek and Motion for Official Recognition filed by staff of the Florida Public Service Commission is granted.

By ORDER of Chairman Mike La Rosa, as Prehearing Officer, this <u>6th</u> day of <u>October</u>, 2025.

Mike La Rosa

Chairman and Prehearing Officer Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399 (850) 413-6770 www.floridapsc.com

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#### NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See F.S. §§ 355.975, 366.82(1), and 377.703(2)(f).

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Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code; or (2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.