BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE CONMISSION

In Re: Petition for Expedited) Approval of Settlement Agreement) with Lake Cogen, Ltd. by Florida) Power Corporation)

Docket No. 961477-EQ Filed: July 29, 1997

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LAKE COGEN, LTD.'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

LAKE COGEN, LTD. (hereinafter "Lake" or "Lake Cogen"), pursuant to Commission Rule 25-22.058, Florida Administrative Code, hereby respectfully requests the opportunity to present oral argument on the issues addressed in its Brief filed simultaneously herewith in the above-styled docket. Because the Commission's decision on the pending Settlement Agreement between Lake Cogen and Florida Power Corporation implicates significant issues arising under both federal and state law, oral argument will assist the Commission in comprehending those issues and in addressing the matters before it.

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