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Florida Power

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Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 000543-EI; Request for Rule Development Workshop.

Dear Ms. Bayó:

In accordance with the notice published by the Commission on May 19, 2000 in the *Florida Administrative Weekly*, Florida Power hereby requests that a rule development workshop be held on the subject rule amendment proposal.

Florida Power is a public utility, as defined in Section 366.02, F.S., and as such, would be subject to proposed Rule 25-6.04365 with respect to its Crystal River 3 nuclear generating plant. Florida Power does not object to the codification of the Commission's requirements regarding nuclear decommissioning, but has several concerns and questions about the intent of certain provisions within the preliminary text of the proposed rule and believes that the requested workshop would be beneficial in providing the opportunity to address these matters, as well as any concerns other affected persons may have.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

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