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Re: Docket No. 020105-EI

Dear Jim and Jim:

On February 28th, we asked that you let us know what dates would be convenient to hold a conference call among counsel regarding moving forward with mediation in the above matter. As you know, the call has not yet been scheduled. When I was with Jim Beasley today on another matter, I discussed the status of our call with him. I believe we agreed that, due to proximity of the Florida Power rate case, it would probably be best to conduct the call during the first week of April, when the rate case has concluded. Therefore, we should try to set up the conference call among counsel during that week.

As everyone's calendars continue to fill up with activities, we think it is important to set up the call and to proceed to designate dates for the actual mediation to begin. Assuming we have the conference call during the first week of April, IMC representatives can be available on April 24 or 25 to begin the mediation. We are, of course, willing to work with you to find dates that are convenient for everyone.

Please provide me with some available dates during the first week in April that would be convenient for the call.

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