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#### JANUARY 21, 2003

RE: Docket No. 021213-EI - Request for approval to change rate used to capitalize allowance for funds used during construction (AFUDC) from 8.26% to 7.84% effective 11/1/02, by Florida Power & Light Company.

<u>ISSUE 1</u>: Should the Commission approve FPL's request to reduce its AFUDC rate from 8.26% to 7.84%? <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Yes. The appropriate AFUDC rate for FPL is 7.84% based on a 13-month average capital structure for the period ending October 31, 2002.

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### COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

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<u>ISSUE 2</u>: What is the appropriate monthly compounding rate to achieve the requested 7.84% annual rate? <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: The appropriate monthly compounding rate to maintain a simple rate of 7.84% is 0.630969%.

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<u>ISSUE 3</u>: Should the Commission approve Florida Power & Light Company's requested effective date of November 1, 2002, for implementing the revised AFUDC rate?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes.

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<u>ISSUE 4</u>: Should this docket be closed?

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Yes. This docket should be closed upon issuance of a Consummating Order unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the Commission's decision files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the proposed agency action.

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