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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Complaint of Rosario Rojo against Florida Power & Light Company

Docket No. 110069-EI

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FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY'S RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO PETITIONER'S MOTION TO POSTPONE HEARING

Florida Power & Light Company, Inc. ("FPL""), pursuant to Rule 28-104.206, F.A.C.,

hereby files its response in opposition to Petitioner Rosario Rojo's Motion to Postpone Hearing

("Petitioner's Motion"). For the reasons set forth below, the Florida Public Service Commission

("Commission") should deny Petitioner's Motion.

1. Petitioner's Motion To Postpone Hearing should be denied as untimely. The

Commission issued its Order on Notice of the Agenda Conference for this docket on June 3,

2011. Petitioner waited until the evening before the scheduled agenda conference to file her

Motion.1

2. Additionally, Petitioner sets forth no good cause for postponing the hearing on

FPL's Motion To Dismiss. Petitioner first asserts that "additional time is necessary to file

discovery." However, discovery is neither considered nor appropriate for assessing a motion to

dismiss. Petitioner next merely restates the accusations that form the basis of her complaint,

which accusations do not constitute cause for postponement.

3. In short, Petitioner sets forth no substantive grounds to justify postponement.

4. Finally, any additional delay would unduly prejudice FPL's right to obtain a final

resolution of this matter.

WHEREFORE, FPL requests that the Commission enter an order denying Petitioner's

Motion To Postpone Hearing.

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Respectfully submitted this 21st day of June, 2011.

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¹ Indeed, due to the late hour of the transmittal, Petitioner's Motion is deemed filed at 8:00 a.m. on June 14, 2011, the very morning of the scheduled hearing. Fla. Admin. Code R. 28-106.104(3).

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