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Dear Clerk of the Commission:

Please find for filing - the attached "*Petition for Leave to Intervene*" in Docket No. 120015-EI Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) Rate Case.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter - please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

Kind regards,

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April 25th, 2012

Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

***In re: Petition for Leave to Intervene - Docket No. 120015-EI - Florida Power & Light  
Company Rate Case***

Dear Commission Clerk:

The undersigned hereby submits a "*Petition for Leave to Intervene*" in the above-captioned matter for filing in Docket No. 120015-EI and states as follows:

**PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE**

NOW COMES, Thomas Saporito, Petitioner - and hereby submits [h]is Petition for Leave to Intervene "Petition" in the above-styled matter - Docket No. 120015-EI involving the Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) and its request to increase the base-rate for electric power to its customers. For the reasons stated below, the Florida Public Service Commission (Commission) should grant this Petition as a matter of law:

**COMMISSION RULE ON INTERVENTION**

Commission Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), implements the standards for participation as an intervenor in an administrative proceeding. The rule provides as follows:

- Persons, other than the original parties to a pending proceeding, who have a substantial interest in the proceeding, and who desire to become parties may petition the presiding officer for leave to intervene. Petitions for leave to intervene must be filed at least five (5) days before the final hearing, must conform with Uniform subsection 28-106.201(2), F.A.C., and must include allegations sufficient to demonstrate that the intervenor is entitled to participate in the proceeding as a matter of constitutional or statutory right or pursuant to Commission rule, or that the substantial interests of the intervenor are subject to determination or will be affected through the proceeding. Intervenors take the case as they find it.

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## PETITION

Pursuant to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-22.039 and 28-106.205, Florida Administrative Code, Petitioner files this Petition for Leave to Intervene in the above-styled matter and states as follows:

1. The name and address of the affected agency is:

The Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

2. The name and address of the Petitioner is:

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3. Copies of all pleadings, notices, and orders in this docket should be provided to:

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4. Petitioner is a viable concern within the State of Florida who's residence is served by electric power provided by FPL. Moreover, Petitioner is a stockholder of NextEra Energy - the parent company for FPL.

5. Statement of Affected Interests

The interests of Petitioner - a FPL customer and stockholder - will be affected by the Commission's determination in this proceeding. The Commission will decide in this docket whether it should allow FPL to adjust its electric rates and pass the associated costs related to FPL's power plant operations and/or construction/modifications - to its customers. Therefore, Petitioner's substantial interests will be affected by this proceeding.

6. Statement of Disputed Issues of Material Fact

At issue is whether FPL improperly misled its rate-payers in its assessment of costs associated with the operation of its existing power plants - and whether it is prudent for the Commission to allow FPL to increase its base-rate for electric power provided to its customers - in order to construct new power plants - and/or to modify existing power plants.

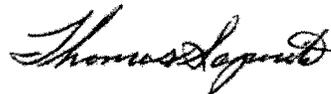
7. Statutes and Rules that Require the Relief Requested by Petitioner

Statutes and rules that require the relief requested by Petitioner include, but are not limited to, Sections of the Florida Statutes, and Rules of the Florida Administrative Code.

**CONCLUSION**

FOR ALL THE ABOVE STATED REASONS, Petitioner's substantial interests are subject to determination in and will be affected by the Commission's decision, and Petitioner is therefore entitled to intervene in this proceeding as a matter of law. Petitioner requests that the Commission enter an order granting Petitioner's "*Petition for Leave to Intervene*" and further requests the parties to provide the undersigned with all papers filed in this docket accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,



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