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STAFF'S FIRST DATA REQUEST



Hublic Service Commission

April 22, 2013

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Re: Docket No. 130074-EQ- Petition for approval of revisions to standard offer renewable energy tariff REN-1 and REN-2, by Florida Public Utilities Company.

Dear Ms. Keating:

By this letter, Commission staff requests that Florida Public Utilities Company (Company) provide responses to the following questions.

- 1. Referring to the ratchet provision in the power purchase agreement between the Company and Gulf Power Company / Southern Company Services, Inc.,
 - a. Please provide the estimated impact on payments to renewable facilities if the Commission's Order PSC-11-0269-PAA-EI is upheld by the Supreme Court of Florida.
 - b. Please state whether the Company intends to file a revised Standard Offer Contract if the Commission's Order PSC-11-0269-PAA-EI is upheld by the Supreme Court of Florida, before April 1, 2014.

2. Please complete the tables below describing payments to a renewable provider based on the proposed tariffs included in the Company's revised standard offer contract for the **Northwest Florida Division**. Please assume a renewable generator with 50 MW providing firm capacity with an in-service date of January 1, 2014, operating at the minimum capacity factor required for full capacity payments, for a contract duration of 20 years.

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Please file the original and five copies of the requested information by Monday, May 13, 2013, with Ms. Ann Cole, Commission Clerk, Office of Commission Clerk, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-0850. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6191 if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Charles W. Murphy Senior Attorney

CWM/dmw

cc: Office of Commission Clerk