## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for determination of need for Citrus County combined cycle power plant, by Duke Energy Florida, Inc.

In re: Petition for determination of cost effective generation alternative to meet need prior to 2018, by Duke Energy Florida, Inc.

DOCKET NO. 140110-EI

DOCKET NO. 140111-EI ORDER NO. PSC-14-0305-PCO-EI ISSUED: June 12, 2014

## **ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION**

By petition, dated June 3, 2014, Florida Industrial Power Users Group (FIPUG) has requested permission to intervene in this proceeding. FIPUG states that it is an ad hoc association consisting of industrial users of electricity in Florida who are also customers of Duke Energy Florida, Inc. The cost of electricity constitutes a significant portion of FIPUG's members' overall costs of production. FIPUG states that the Commission's decision regarding either the petition for a determination of need or the petition for determination of cost effective generation alternative will affect its members' substantial interests by altering, and possibly increasing, electricity costs. FIPUG contends that such an increase will affect its production costs and competitive posture.

Having reviewed the Petition, it appears that FIPUG's members substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding. None of the parties to either proceeding oppose this request. Therefore, the Petition shall be granted. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, FIPUG takes the case as it finds it.

Therefore, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner Ronald A. Brisé, as Prehearing Officer, that the Petition to Intervene filed by Florida Industrial Power Users Group is hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED that all parties to this proceeding shall furnish copies of all testimony, exhibits, pleadings and other documents which may hereinafter be filed in this proceeding, to:

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By ORDER of Commissioner Ronald A. Brisé, as Prehearing Officer, this <u>12th</u> day of June , 2014 .

RONALD A. BRISÉ

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Copies furnished: A copy of this document is provided to the parties of record at the time of issuance and, if applicable, interested persons.

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The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-

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22.0376, Florida Administrative Code; or (2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.