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DATE: May 13, 2015
TO: Charles Murphy, Office of the General Counsel
CC: Office of Commission Clerk
FROM: Traci L. Matthews, Division of Engineering 
RE: DN 02729-15 in Docket No. 150043-EI, Petition for determination that the Osprey Plant Acquisition and, alternatively, the Suwannee Simple Cycle Project is the most cost-effective generation alternative to meet the remaining need prior to 2018 for Duke Energy Florida, Inc.

Pursuant to Section 366.093(3), Florida Statutes, (F.S.), and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, (F.A.C.), Duke Energy Florida, Inc. (DEF) has requested confidential treatment of certain information provided in response to staff's discovery request in this docket.

Staff has carefully reviewed this material and agrees with DEF that it meets the criteria for confidential classification defined in Section 366.093(3) (d) and (e), F.S.

Therefore, staff recommends that DEF's request for confidential classification of the above-named material be approved.

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TO: Division of Engineering, Office of Primary Responsibility

FROM: OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK

RE: CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION

DOCKET NO: 150043-EI DOCUMENT NO: 02729-15

DESCRIPTION: Duke Energy (Gamba) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Portions of responses to staff's second request for PODs (Nos. 14-20), specifically Nos. 14-18; provided on CD only.

SOURCE: Duke Energy Florida, Inc.

The above confidential material was filed along with a fifth request for confidential classification. Please complete the following form by checking all applicable information and forward it to the attorney assigned to the docket, along with a brief memorandum supporting your recommendation.

- The document(s) is (are), in fact, what the utility asserts it (them) to be.
- The utility has provided enough details to perform a reasoned analysis of its request.
- The material has been received incident to an inquiry.
- The material is confidential business information because it includes:
 - (a) Trade secrets;
 - (b) Internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors;
 - (c) Security measures, systems, or procedures;
 - (d) Information concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms;
 - (e) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of information;
 - (f) Employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities;
- The material appears to be confidential in nature and harm to the company or its ratepayers will result from public disclosure.
- The material appears not to be confidential in nature.
- The material is a periodic or recurring filing and each filing contains confidential information.

This response was prepared by Traci Matthews on May 13, 2015, a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel.