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DATE: December 7, 2015

TO: Rosanne Gervasi, Senior Attorney, Office of the General Counsel *MG*

FROM: Mark A. Cicchetti, Chief of Finance, Tax & Cost Recovery, Division of Accounting & Finance

RE: Confidentiality of certain information in Document No. 06229-15 in Docket No. 150171-EI.
DESCRIPTION: Duke Energy (Bernier) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Information included in response to staff's 4th request to produce (Nos. 13-16); specifically No. 13 (x-ref. DNs 06065-15 and 06226-15).

Pursuant to Section 366.093 of the Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Duke Energy Florida (DEF) requests confidential classification of information included in response to staff's 4th request to produce (Nos. 13-16); specifically No. 13 (x-ref. DNs 06065-15 and 06226-15).

Staff has reviewed DEF's confidentiality request. Document Nos. 006229-15 and 06226-15 contain sensitive contractual business information between DEF and third parties regarding DEF's proposed securitization. DEF maintains the confidentiality of such information and has not publicly disclosed such information. In staff's opinion, the request meets the criteria for confidentiality set forth in section 366.093 Florida Statutes. Therefore, staff recommends that the request for confidentiality of certain information in the context in which it is presented in Document Nos. 06229-15 and 06226-15 be approved.

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DATE: October 5, 2015

TO: Division of Accounting and Finance, Office of Primary Responsibility

FROM: OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK

RE: CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION

DOCKET NO: 150171-EI DOCUMENT NO: 06229-15

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SOURCE: Duke Energy Florida, Inc.

The above confidential material was filed along with a 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 MARK CIOCHETTI on 12/7/15, a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel.