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From: Brandy Butler on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Tuesday, August 15, 2017 11:01 AM
To: 'bgiddins@gmail.com'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Docket No. 20170009 - Oppose FPL's Unfair Request

Good morning Mr. Giddins,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20170009 and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

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Dear FL PSC,

Dear Commissioners,

Please reject FPL's request in Docket No. 20170009.

Long Island, Fukushima, Chernobyl - do we really want to risk adding Turkey Point to that list?

If commissioned, these new reactors potentially have a life expectancy that will coincide with rising sea levels impacting the Turkey Point site. The salinity issues from the current cooling canals have been in the news for some time now - how are they expected to cope with two more reactors at a time when NOAA estimates that sea levels are rising in some parts of Florida at a rate of an inch every three years?

Thanks to climate change, a global macro issue for which FPL touts nuclear power as a means of reducing greenhouse gas emissions, the Turkey Point site will likely be forced redundant before construction could even begin given the current state of the nuclear construction industry, with the sole provider Westinghouse in bankruptcy. Any income generated by plans by FPL to charge customers for future hypothetical construction will likely never go towards the purpose, and instead simply enrich the coffers of an organisation that paid \$31m in bonuses to 5 executives for a single year, and actively blocked shareholder proposals to be more transparent about how the company will respond to rising sea levels - precisely the environmental threat that would prevent the completion of such a project. Basically blocking

the release of information that would likely show they have no strategy for dealing with an issue that would impact the viability of a project while asking for approval to charge customers for the very same project.

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Ben Giddins

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