BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and purchased power cost recovery clause with generating performance incentive factor.

DOCKET NO. 20170001-EI ORDER NO. PSC-2017-0355-PCO-EI ISSUED: September 18, 2017

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

On September 13, 2017, Commission staff filed a Motion for Extension of Time in which it requested that the time for Commission staff and Intervenor testimony to be filed be extended from September 14, 2017, to September 18, 2017. Commission staff requested the extension due to the fact that because of Hurricane Irma state offices were closed on Friday, September 7, 2017 and did not reopen until Wednesday, September 13, 2017, preventing Commission staff from being able to finalize hedging audit reports for Florida Power & Light Company (FPL), Tampa Electric Company (TECO), Gulf Power Company (Gulf) and Duke Energy Florida, LLC (DEF) and prepare the testimony of each auditor in support of their reports. Commission staff has contacted all parties to the docket regarding this motion and represents that none have any objection.

On September 13, 2017, FPL also filed a Motion for Extension of Time in which it requested that: 1) August A Schedules be filed on October 4, 2017 rather than September 20, 2017; 2) GPIF actual unit performance schedules be filed on October 4, 2017 rather than September 20, 2017; 3) Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause rebuttal testimony be filed on September 29, 2017 rather than September 21, 2017; and 4) FPL's response to Commission staff's 7th Set of Interrogatories Nos. 70-72 be filed on October 5, 2017 rather than September 21, 2017. FPL has requested this extension of time based on the fact that many of its employees responsible for preparing these filings are currently being required to perform Hurricane Irma storm response and restoration roles. FPL represents that granting this extension of time will not delay the currently scheduled prehearing conference, prehearing statement or hearings in this docket. FPL has contacted all parties to this docket and Commission staff and states that the Office of Public Counsel (OPC), DEF, TECO, Gulf, Florida Public Utilities Corporation, PCS Phosphate-White Springs, and the Florida Industrial Power Users Group have no objection to the relief requested. The Florida Retail Federation (FRF) has not responded to FPL as of this date.

Upon review of the Commission staff's and FPL's motions, I find that the relief requested by Commission staff and FPL for extensions of time to file the above-described schedules and testimony is justified and appropriate. Having granted Commission staff's request to extend Commission staff and Intervenor testimony filing dates to September 18, 2017, I find it is also appropriate to allow all parties to have an additional four days until September 29, 2017 to

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file rebuttal testimony should they wish to do so. Therefore, the filing schedule in this docket shall be modified as follows:

Commission staff and Intervenor Testimony, if any
Rebuttal testimony, if any
August A Schedules
GPIF actual unit performance data schedules
FPL's responses to Commission staff's 7th Set of
Interrogatories Nos. 70-72
September 18, 2017
September 29, 2017
October 4, 2017
October 4, 2017
October 5, 2017

It is therefore,

ORDERED by Commissioner Ronald A. Brisé, as Prehearing Officer, that the Motions for Extension of Time filed by the Commission staff and Florida Power & Light Company are hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED that Order No. PSC-17-0053-PCO-EI, Order Establishing Procedure, issued on February 20, 2017, is reaffirmed in all respects not inconsistent with this Order.

By ORDER of Commissioner Ronald A. Brisé, as Prehearing Officer, this <u>18th</u> day of <u>September</u>, <u>2017</u>.

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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 25-22.0376, 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.