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**STAFF'S FIFTH DATA REQUEST**  
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RE: Docket No.20210016-EI – Petition for limited proceeding to approve 2021 settlement agreement, including general base rate increases, by Duke Energy Florida, LLC.

Dear Ms. Triplett, and Mr. Bernier:

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Duke Energy Florida, LLC (DEF) provide responses to the following data requests:

Please refer to the Duke Energy Florida (DEF) 2021 Settlement Agreement for the following questions.

1. Please provide a discussion on the current and any anticipated future benefits AMI meters provide to DEF. Also discuss how DEF uses the data AMI meters provide.
2. Please state the total economic development expenses included in test years 2022 and 2023 and provide a breakdown and discussion on the types of expenses included. Also, specifically state what types of expenses resulting from the proposed new economic development tariff ED-2 are included in the total economic development expenses.

3. Please clarify whether a customer on the ED-2 tariff will be required to meet the qualifying criteria for the 10-year term of the economic development agreement and how would DEF monitor whether a customer would continue to meet the qualifying criteria during the 10-year term.
4. Please provide information on the number of customers that pay their monthly electric bill with more than one payment, including more than one credit card payment (i.e., the same monthly bill is paid off over several payments).
5. Regarding the holidays excluded from the on-peak periods in the time-of-use tariffs, please provide the basis for the specific holidays stated in the time-of-use tariffs and state whether DEF considered revising the holidays.

Please file all responses electronically no later than April 20, 2021 from the Commission's website at [www.floridapsc.com](http://www.floridapsc.com), by selecting the Clerk's Office tab and Electronic Filing Web Form. Please feel free to email me at [wtrierwe@psc.state.fl.us](mailto:wtrierwe@psc.state.fl.us) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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