BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause and Generating Performance Incentive Factor. DOCKET NO. 000001-EI ORDER NO. PSC-00-0647-PCO-EI ISSUED: April 6, 2000

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

By motion filed March 31, 2000, Florida Power Corporation ("FPC") requests a 30-day extension of time to file its final true-up testimony and exhibits in this docket. Pursuant to Order No. PSC-00-0531-PCO-EI, issued March 15, 2000, the deadline for filing final true-up testimony and exhibits is April 3, 2000. By its motion, FPC requests that it be granted an extension to file its final true-up testimony and exhibits on May 3, 2000.

In its motion, FPC states that on March 24, 2000, it received the results of the Commission staff's audit of FPC's fuel adjustment records for the true-up period of January through December 1999. FPC notes that it will be required to make adjustments to its records to bring them into compliance with the findings from this audit. FPC further notes that the staff auditors indicated a preference that FPC make the adjustments retroactively by restating its monthly and year-end 1999 fuel adjustment records. FPC asserts that because of the time and manpower required to retroactively adjust and restate these records, the restated records will not be available for the preparation of FPC's final true-up testimony and exhibits before the April 3, 2000, deadline. In conclusion, FPC asserts that the requested extension will allow it to make the necessary adjustments and prepare its true-up filing in conjunction with its other essential accounting functions.

FPC asserts that its requested extension, if granted, will not prejudice the opportunity of the Commission staff or other parties to review FPC's true-up filing. FPC notes that the extended filing date will still allow for a review period of six and a half months. FPC indicates that the Office of Public Counsel has advised that it has no objection to the requested extension. Florida Industrial Power Users Group has indicated that it has no position on the motion. Because FPC has shown good cause for the requested extension and no party opposes the motion, FPC's motion is hereby granted.

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Good cause having been shown, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner Susan F. Clark, as Prehearing Officer, that Florida Power Corporation's Motion for Extension of Time to File True-Up Testimony is hereby granted.

By ORDER of Commissioner Susan F. Clark, as Prehearing Officer, this 6th day of April , 2000.

SUSAN F. CLARK

Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

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

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Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) 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 Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, 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.