## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for determination of need for Levy Units 1 and 2 nuclear power plants, by Progress Energy Florida, Inc.

Docket No. 080148-EI

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## PROGRESS ENERGY FLORIDA'S RESPONSES TO STAFF'S FIFTH REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS (NO. 22)

Progress Energy Florida, Inc. ("PEF"), responds to Staff's Fifth Request for Production of Documents to PEF (No. 22), as follows:

## RESPONSES TO SPECIFIC REQUESTS

 Please provide the Henry Hub gas price forecast associated with the Mid-Reference natural gas price forecast.

ANSWER: Please see column two of the spreadsheet bearing Bates No. PEF-LNN000354 attached to PEF's Second Request for Confidential Classification filed on April 16, 2008. This document provides the "Henry Hub gas price forecast associated with the Mid-Reference natural gas price forecast" for the years 2007 through 2026. The Henry Hub forecast was not specifically extended beyond 2026. Rather the Strategist modeling natural gas forecast beyond 2026 was based on the escalation rate applied to the delivered variable natural gas price which combines the Henry Hub and the Z3 basis differential costs projections.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing (without attachments)

has been furnished via U.S. Mail this \_\_\_\_\_ day of May, 2008 to all parties of record as indicated

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