FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

December 1, 2009

Docket No. 090421-EI – Petition for Commission approval of base rate increase for costs associated with CR3 uprate project, pursuant to Section 366.93(4), F.S. and Rule 25-6.0423(7), F.A.C., by Progress Energy Florida, Inc. (Deferred from the November 27, 2009 Commission Conference, revised recommendation filed)

Issue 1: Should the Commission approve PEF's request to increase its base rates by \$16,559,938 for the BOP phase of the CR3 Uprate project?

Recommendation: No. PEF's request to increase its base rates by \$16,559,938 for the BOP phase of the CR3 Uprate project should be reduced to \$16,175,437, a reduction of \$384,501. This approval should be subject to true-up and revision based on the final review of the 2009 BOP phase expenditures in Docket No. 090009-EI, Nuclear Cost Recovery Clause.

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Issue 2: Should the Commission approve PEF's request to increase its base rates by \$756,338 for the 5-year amortization of the EPU assets that are being retired during 2009?

<u>Recommendation</u>: No. PEF's request to increase its base rates by \$756,338 for the 5-year amortization of the EPU assets that are being retired during 2009 should be reduced to \$637,168, a reduction of \$119,170.

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Issue 3: What is the appropriate effective date of the increase in base rates? Should the Commission approve PEF's proposal to add any revenue requirement increase approved in this docket to any approved revenue requirement increase in the pending base rate proceeding, Docket No. 090079-EI, for determining base rates? **Recommendation:** The revised base rates should become effective for meter readings taken on or after 30 days following the date of the Commission vote approving the BOP phase of the CR3 Uprate project. Under the current schedule, that would mean for meter readings taken on or after December 31, 2009. PEF should file tariff sheets for administrative approval by staff. Yes. PEF should file rates and tariff sheets for approval in compliance with final decisions related to revenue requirements, cost of service, billing determinants, rate design, and effective date made in Docket 090079-EI.

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Issue 4: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a consummating order.

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