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# Public Service Commission

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**DATE:** September 21, 2021

**TO:** Suzanne S. Brownless, Special Counsel, Office of the General Counsel

**FROM:** Corey Hampson, Public Utility Analyst II, Division of Economics

**RE:** Docket No. 20210015-EI: Petition for rate increase by Florida Power & Light Company.  
**Request for Confidential Classification of Document No. 10674-2021**

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On September 8, 2021, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL or utility) filed a request for confidential treatment for Document No. 10674-2021. This document contains confidential information provided in response to staff's ninth data request, No. 8, Parts C and D. The confidential information contains the estimated remaining net book value of the smart panel equipment for each year after installation, as well as an estimate of the cost to uninstall and remove the equipment.

In its request for confidentiality, FPL asserts that the response provided on the Smart Panel Pilot contains information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. Specifically, the material contains projected cost information related to smart panels. In addition, FPL states that the utility treats the highlighted information provided in Document No. 10674-2021 as confidential.

Staff has reviewed the document and concurs with FPL that the nature of the information meets the requirements set forth in Section 366.093(3)(e), Florida Statutes, whereby disclosure of this information would impair the competitive business operations of FPL. Therefore, staff recommends that the request by FPL for confidential classification of Document No. 10674-2021 be approved.

cc: Office of Commission Clerk



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**DATE:** September 8, 2021  
**TO:** Division of Accounting and Finance, Office of Primary Responsibility  
**FROM:** OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK  
**RE:** CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION

DOCKET NOS: 20210015-EI DOCUMENT NO: 10674-2021

DESCRIPTION: FPL (Moncada) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Certain information provided in response to staff's ninth data request (No. 8).

SOURCE: Florida Power & Light

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The above confidential material was filed along with a request for confidential classification. Please complete the following form by checking all applicable information and forward it to the attorney assigned to the docket, along with a brief memorandum supporting your recommendation.

- The document(s) is (are), in fact, what the utility asserts it (them) to be.
- The utility has provided enough details to perform a reasoned analysis of its request.
- The material has been received incident to an inquiry.
- The material is confidential business information because it includes:
  - (a) Trade secrets;
  - (b) Internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors;
  - (c) Security measures, systems, or procedures;
  - (d) Information concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms;
  - (e) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of information;
  - (f) Employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities;
- The material appears to be confidential in nature and harm to the company or its ratepayers will result from public disclosure.
- The material appears not to be confidential in nature.
- The material is a periodic or recurring filing and each filing contains confidential information.

This response was prepared by Corey Hampson on 9/21/2021, a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel.