STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION,

Petitioner,

vs.

OGC CASE NO. 97-1777

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION,

Respondent.

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE PETITION FOR HEARING

This cause has come before the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (Department) on receipt of a request made by Petitioner, Florida Power Corporation, to grant an extension of time to file a petition for an administrative hearing on Application No. 0170004-004-AV. See Exhibit 1.

Respondent, State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection, has no objection to it. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED:

The request for an extension of time to file a petition for administrative proceeding is granted. Petitioner shall have until August 1, 1998, to file a petition in this matter. Filing shall be complete on receipt by the Office of General Counsel, Mail Station 35, Department of Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000.

DONE AND ORDERED on this day of June, 1998, in Tallahassee, Florida.

> STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

General Counsel

Douglas Building, MS #35 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-3000 Telephone: (904) 488-9314

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing was mailed to:

W. Jeffrey Pardue, C.E.P. Director Environmental Services Department Florida Power Corporation 3201 Thirty-fourth Street South St. Petersburg, FL 33733 day of June, 1998.

> STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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May 27, 1998

Ms. Kathy Carter, Clerk
Office of General Counsel
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Room 638
3900 Commonwealth Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3000

Dear Ms. Carter:

RE: Florida Power Corporation, Crystal River Plant

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME on the Intent to Issue Title V Air Operation Permit,

Draft Permit No. 0170004-004-AV

On October 9, 1997, Florida Power Corporation (FPC) received the above-referenced Intent to Issue Title V Air Operation Permit. A review of the permit conditions has revealed that several issues remain to be resolved. The Department previously agreed to grant an Order extending the time to file a petition until June 1, 1998. Mr. Scott Osbourn of my staff has had discussions with Mr. Scott Sheplak of the Department who agreed that an additional extension of time to discuss these issues is appropriate. Therefore, based upon the Department's concurrence and pursuant to Rules 62-103.050 and 28-106.111, Fla. Admin. Code, FPC respectfully requests an extension of time in which to file a petition for an administrative hearing under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Fla. Stat., up to and including August 1, 1998.

If you should have any questions, please contact Mr. Scott Osbourn of FPC at (813) 866-5158.

Sincerely,

W. Jeffrey Pardue, C.E.P.

Director, Environmental Services Department

Title V Responsible Official

Robert A. Manning, Esq.

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cc:

Scott Sheplak, DEP

Jeffrey Brown, DEP OGC