

STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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BUREAU OF AIR REGULATION

IN RE:
FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT CO.
MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

DRAFT REVISION TO TITLE V
PERMIT NO. 0810010-008-AV
OGC CASE NO. _____

REQUEST FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT CO. ("FPL"), by and through undersigned counsel, and pursuant to Florida Administrative Code Rule 62-110.106(4), hereby requests an enlargement of time, to and including August 22, 2002, in which to file a Petition for Administrative Proceedings in the above-styled matter. As good cause for granting this request, FPL states:

1. On or about July 9, 2002, FPL received from the Department of Environmental Protection ("Department") an "Intent to Issue" revisions to the Title V Permit and accompanying "Draft Permit" revisions and "Statement of Basis" regarding the addition of natural gas as a fuel for Units 1 and 2 located at FPL's Manatee Power Plant in Manatee County, Florida. The "Intent to Issue" advised that FPL has fourteen days from receipt in which to file a Petition for Administrative Proceedings on the Department's proposed action.

2. Based on FPL's initial review, the Draft Title V Permit revisions and related documents raised issues and contain provisions that may want clarification or correction. Additional time is needed to fully review these documents and to discuss these issues and provisions with the Department. FPL intends to send a letter to the Department providing its comments on the Draft Title V Permit revisions.

3. Accordingly, FPL requests an extension of time through and until August 22, 2002,

in which to file a Petition for Administrative Proceedings on the referenced Draft Title V Permit revisions pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Florida Statutes, and Rule 62-110.106(4), Florida Administrative Code.

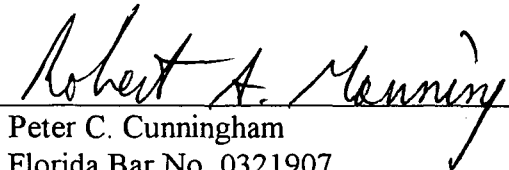
4. This request is filed simply as a protective measure to avoid waiver of FPL's right to challenge certain provisions of the Draft Title V Permit revisions in the event a mutually agreeable resolution of the issues cannot be reached. Grant of this request will not prejudice either party, but will further their mutual interest and hopefully avoid the need to initiate formal administrative proceedings in this matter.

WHEREFORE, Florida Power & Light Co. respectfully requests that the time for filing of a Petition for Administrative Proceedings regarding the Department's Intent to Issue the above-referenced Draft Title V Permit revisions be formally extended to and including August 22, 2002. If the Department denies this Request, FPL respectfully requests an opportunity to file a Petition for Administrative Proceedings within ten days of such denial.

Respectfully submitted this 23 day of July, 2002.

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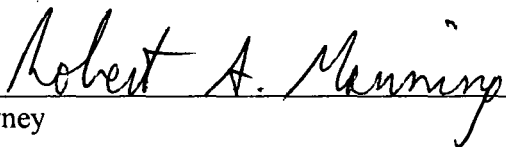
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished to the following by

U.S. Mail on this 23 day of July, 2002:

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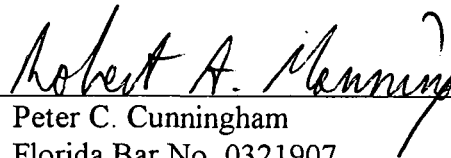
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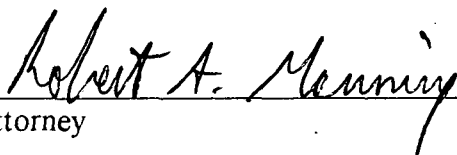
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