#### STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

SEMINOLE ELECTRIC CORPORATION, INC.

Petitioner,

vs.

OGC CASE NO. 97-1620

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION,

Respondent.

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BUREAU OF AIR REGULATION

# 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, SEMINOLE ELECTRIC CORPORATION, INC., to grant an extension of time to file a petition for an administrative hearing on DEP Permit No, 1070025-001-AV in Putnam County, Florida. See Exhibit 1.

Although Counsel for Petitioner has not discussed this request with counsel for the Respondent State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection, the Department 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 October 24, 1997, 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 16th day of October 1997 in Tallahassee, Florida.

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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

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on this day of October 1997.

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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## THE STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION Dept of Environmental Protection

Office of General Counsel

In the Matter of an Application for Permit by:

OGC CASE NO.: 97-1620

FDEP Permit No.: 1070025-001-AV

Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc. Seminole Power Plant Putnam County, Florida

### REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

By and through undersigned counsel, Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Seminole) hereby requests, pursuant to Florida Administrative Code Rules 28-106.111(3) and 62-103.050(1), an extension of time, to and including October 24, 1997, in which to file a Petition for Administrative Proceedings in the above-styled matter. As good cause for granting this request, Seminole states the following:

- On or about September 12, 1997, Seminole received from the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) an "Intent to Issue Title V Air Operation Permit" (Permit No. 1070025-001-AV) for the Seminole Power Plant located in Putnam County, Florida. Along with the Intent to Issue, Seminole received a draft Title V permit and "Public Notice of Intent to Issue Title V Air Operation Permit."
- Based on Seminole's review, the draft permit and associated documents contain several provisions that warrant clarification or correction.
- This request is filed simply as a protective measure to avoid waiver of Seminole's 3. right to challenge certain conditions contained in the draft Title V permit. Grant of this request

will not prejudice either party, but will further their mutual interest and hopefully avoid the need to file a petition and proceed to a formal administrative hearing.

4. Mr. Scott Sheplak with the Bureau of Air Regulation has agreed to a 28-day extension on behalf of the Department.

WHEREFORE, Seminole respectfully requests that the time for filing of a Petition for Administrative Proceedings in regard to the Department's Intent to Issue Title V Air Operation Permit for Permit No. 1070025-001-AV be formally extended to and including October 24, 1997.

Respectfully submitted this 23rd day of September, 1997.

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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 23rd day of September, 1997:

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