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July 21, 2008

Ms. Trina Vielhauer, Bureau Chief Bureau of Air Regulation Division of Air Resource Management Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 26 Blair Stone Road, MS 5500 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400

RE:

Comments of Draft/Proposed Air Permit Projects

Florida Power Corporation dba Progress Energy Florida, Inc.

Dear Ms. Vielhauer:

Please find below the comment on the Draft/Proposed Air Permit Projects regarding the inclusion of the provisions and requirements of the Clean Air Interstate Rule (CAIR) into the following Air Permit Projects and the associated facilities.

Project Permit No.	Site Facility Name	Project Permit No.	Site Facility Name
0010001-008-AV	U OF FL COGEN PLANT	1030013-005-AV	BAYBORO POWER PLANT
0170004-020-AV	CRYSTAL RIVER POWER PLANT	1050223-014-AV	TIGER BAY COGEN PLANT
0550003-006-AV	AVON PARK	1050234-017-AV	HINES ENERGY COMPLEX
0970014-015-AV	INTERCESSION CITY PLANT	1210003-006-AV	SUWANNEE RIVER PLANT
1010017-011-AV	ANCLOTE POWER PLANT	1270020-003-AV	TURNER PLANT
1030011-013-AV	BARTOW PLANT	1270028-008-AV	DEBARY FACILITY
1030012-006-AV	HIGGINS PLANT		

Comment: On July 11, 2008, the D.C. Circuit issued an opinion vacating CAIR. Accordingly, Florida Power Corporation dba Progress Energy Florida, Inc. (PEF) requests that the CAIR Part for each of the facilities listed above with their respective project permit numbers not be submitted by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) to the EPA in proposed form, and not finalized at this time. Once the D.C. Circuit Court's ruling is final, PEF requests that this permit revision process be terminated, either by withdrawing the draft permit, returning our application or treating it as withdrawn. In the event the D.C. Circuit Court's ruling

is reheard or overturned on appeal, PEF and the FDEP can discuss how best to continue the permit-revision process, and whether the Statement of Basis or Permit requires additional language.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. In addition, if you have any questions or would like the comment on the Draft/Proposed Air Permits submitted in an alternative format, please contact me at (727) 820-5962 or at Chris.Bradley@pgnmail.com.

Sincerely,

Chris Bradley

Senior Environmental Specialist