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Ms. Julie Turner

Responsible Official

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Re: PROPOSED Title V Permit Renewal No. 0550003-005-AV  
Progress Energy Florida- Avon Park Power Plant

Dear Ms. Turner:

One copy of the "PROPOSED PERMIT DETERMINATION" for the Avon Park Facility located at 1172 Memorial Drive, Avon Park, Highlands County, is enclosed. This letter is only a courtesy to inform you that the DRAFT air operation permit renewal has become a PROPOSED permit.

An electronic version of this determination has been posted on the Division of Air Resources Management's world wide web site for the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Region 4 office's review. The web site address is:

["http://www.dep.state.fl.us/air/eproducts/ards/default.asp"](http://www.dep.state.fl.us/air/eproducts/ards/default.asp)

Pursuant to Section 403.0872(6), Florida Statutes, if no objection to the PROPOSED permit is made by the USEPA within 45 days, the PROPOSED permit will become a FINAL permit no later than 55 days after the date on which the PROPOSED permit was mailed (posted) to USEPA. If USEPA has an objection to the PROPOSED permit, the FINAL permit will not be issued until the permitting authority receives written notice that the objection is resolved or withdrawn.

If you should have any questions, please contact Teresa Heron at 850/921-9529.

Sincerely,

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## **PROPOSED PERMIT DETERMINATION**

PROPOSED Permit No.: 0550003-005-AV

### **I. Public Notice.**

An "INTENT TO ISSUE "TITLE V AIR OPERATION PERMIT RENEWAL" to Progress Energy Florida, for the Avon Park Facility located at 1415 South Highlands Avenue, Avon Park, Highlands County, was clerked September 18, 2007. The "PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE TITLE V AIR OPERATION PERMIT RENEWAL" was published in The Highlands Today on September 26, 2007. The DRAFT Title V Air Operation Permit Renewal was available for public inspection at the Central District office in Orlando and the permitting authority's office in Tallahassee. Proof of publication of the "PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE TITLE V AIR OPERATION PERMIT" was received on October 3, 2007.

### **II. Public Comment(s).**

No Public Comments were received during the 30 (thirty)-day public comment period. Since no comments were received, the DRAFT Permit becomes the PROPOSED Permit.

### **III. Conclusion.**

Since there were no comments received during the Public Notice period, no changes were made to the DRAFT Permit and the permitting authority hereby issues the PROPOSED permit.