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Director, Siting Coordination Office
3900 Commonwealth Blvd
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February 15, 2013

RE: Progress Energy/ TECO Lake Agnes-Gifford 230-kV Line Post-Certification Submittal

Dear Cindy:

Please find enclosed a post-certification submittal by Florida Power Corporation (d/b/a Progress Energy Florida) ("PEF") for the certified 230-kV Lake Agnes-Gifford transmission line. Pursuant to the Conditions of Certification (modified January 15, 2013), PEF is providing this post-certification submittal only for the portion (or segments) of the certified transmission line being constructed, operated and maintained by PEF, from the Gifford station to the intersection of I-4 and SR 429 (Daniel Webster Western Beltway).

As noted in previous correspondence with DEP, PEF will connect the certified LAG transmission line with a transmission line that is being built from the intersection of I-4 and SR 429 to the PEF Intercession City power plant site. That portion of the transmission line has been permitted separately from this Lake Agnes-Gifford certification; accordingly, this post-certification submittal does not address that portion of the transmission line.

Enclosed in this post-certification submittal is the following information: PEF's proposed right-of-way (ROW) for the LAG transmission line using the most recent available aerial photography at a scale of 1"=400' and showing general wetland locations (see conditions #XXVII (A) and (B)). As required, a copy of these figures is being simultaneously submitted to the following: FDEP Southwest District Office, FDEP Central District Office, FWCC, SWFWMD, SFWMD, ECFRPC, CFRPC, DOT, DEO, FDACS, Polk, Orange & Osceola Counties, and all parties to the certification proceeding.

Pursuant to Condition #XX of the Conditions of Certification, the purpose of these post-certification submittals is to facilitate the relevant agencies' monitoring of the construction, operation and maintenance of the transmission line for compliance with the Conditions of Certification. Each agency has twelve (12) days to review the aerial photos and proposed right-of-way alignment and to notify DEP of any apparent conflicts with the requirements of the Conditions of Certification. Thus, your review and response to DEP should be submitted no later than **March 1, 2013**. DEP will provide those responses to PEF no later than March 1, 2013. If no objections are submitted by DEP to PEF by **March 4, 2013**, then PEF may proceed with design of the transmission line on the ROW shown in the attached aerial photographs.

We look forward to working with you on this essential energy critical infrastructure project for Florida.

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Sincerely,



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Enclosure: Proposed Right-of-Way Environmental Exhibit

cc: Florida Department of Environmental Protection Southwest District Office/with enclosure
Florida Department of Environmental Protection Central District Office/with enclosure
Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission/with enclosure
Southwest Florida Water Management District/with enclosure
South Florida Water Management District/with enclosure
East Central Florida Regional Planning Council/with enclosure
Central Florida Regional Planning Council/with enclosure
Department of Transportation/with enclosure
Department of Economic Opportunity/with enclosure
Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services/with enclosure
Polk County/with enclosure
Orange County/with enclosure
Osceola County/with enclosure