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Re: Docket ID NRC-2009-0337 / NUREG-2176
Combined License Application for Turkey Point Nuclear Plant Unit Nos. 6 and 7
Draft Environmental Impact Statement Comments

References:

1. NUREG-2176, Environmental Impact Statement for Combined Licenses (COLs) for Turkey Point Nuclear Plant Units 6 and 7; Draft Report for Comment, February 2015
2. Volume 80 Federal Register (FR) 12043–12044 dated March 5, 2015, Combined License Application for Turkey Point Nuclear Plant, Unit Nos. 6 and 7, Draft Environmental Impact Statement; Request for Comment
3. Volume 80 FR 30501–30502 dated May 28, 2015, Combined License Application for Turkey Point Nuclear Plant, Units 6 and 7, Draft Environmental Impact Statement; Request for Comment; Reopening of Comment Period

Dear Ms. Bladey:

Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) provides, as the attachment to this letter, its comments on the draft environmental impact statement (DEIS; Reference 1) for the proposed Turkey Point Units 6 & 7 COLs (Docket Nos. 52-040 and 52-041). These comments are provided in response to the DEIS being issued for public comment by the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Jacksonville District (References 2 and 3). FPL appreciates the opportunity to review and provide comments on the DEIS to assist the Commission and U. S. Army Corps of Engineers in disclosing an accurate and complete evaluation of potential impacts in the final EIS (FEIS).

FPL recommends that the inconsistencies identified in the attached comments be reconciled in the FEIS. Many comments can be categorized as (1) significant overestimation of environmental impacts (such as the statement that FPL seeks approval to discharge fill into 1,000 acres of federal jurisdictional wetlands or describing impacts to the entirety of a pipeline or transmission corridor, when only a relatively narrow right-of-way would ultimately be affected), (2) minor discrepancies between values in the DEIS and the values in the cited references, and (3) overlooking updates to FPL's application documents, many of which result from binding Conditions of Certification recently imposed under the Florida Power Plant Siting Act process.

Given the NRC's delayed comment closing deadline of July 17, FPL hopes sufficient, timely resources are engaged to address all comments and maintain the NRC's Phase 3 milestone of February 2016 for publication of the FEIS, since publication of the FEIS is a prerequisite for permitting activities required before FPL can proceed with the project.



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