

November 22, 2016

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of	)	
	)	
FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY	)	Docket Nos. 52-040 & 52-041
	)	
(Turkey Point Units 6 and 7)	)	

NRC STAFF RESPONSE TO "CITIZENS ALLIED FOR SAFE ENERGY MOTION  
REQUESTING ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE A PETITION TO INTERVENE"

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.323 and the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board (Board) Orders dated March 30, 2011,<sup>1</sup> and November 15, 2016,<sup>2</sup> the staff of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (Staff) hereby responds to the Citizens Allied For Safe Energy's (CASE) "Motion Requesting Additional Time To File A Petition To Intervene" (Motion) dated November 22, 2016. The Motion requests an extension of time only for CASE, and the Staff would oppose an extension of time for any other person to file new contentions based on the final Environmental Impact Statement in this proceeding. The Staff does not oppose the Motion,

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<sup>1</sup> *Florida Power and Light Co. (Turkey Point Units 6 and 7), Initial Scheduling Order and Administrative Directives (Mar. 30, 2010) (unpublished) (ML110890768) (Initial Scheduling Order).*

<sup>2</sup> *Florida Power and Light Co. (Turkey Point Units 6 and 7), Final Scheduling Order (Nov. 15, 2016) (unpublished) (ML16320A248).*

provided the Staff is afforded twenty (20) days from any extended due date for CASE to file new contentions to answer those new contentions, as provided in the Final Scheduling Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the "NRC STAFF RESPONSE TO 'CITIZENS ALLIED FOR SAFE ENERGY MOTION REQUESTING ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE A PETITION TO INTERVENE'" has been filed through the E-Filing system this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2016.

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