

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING APPEAL BOARD

In the Matter of)

FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY)

(St. Lucie Nuclear Power Plant,)
Unit 2))

Docket No. 50-389

APPLICANT'S RESPONSE TO NRC STAFF'S MOTION
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
EXCEPTIONS

On March 7, 1975, the NRC Staff filed its Motion for extension of time to file exceptions to the Licensing Board's Partial Initial Decision, dated February 28, 1975. Applicant was served with a copy of said decision by mail on March 4, 1975. Accordingly, Applicant's exceptions are timely if filed prior to March 14, 1975.

The Staff has requested an extension of time, until March 19, 1975, within which to file a Petition for Reconsideration of certain aspects of the decision. Applicant, in its response to the Staff's motion, has requested a similar extension of time within which to file a petition for reconsideration. Exception

by Applicant to the Partial Initial Decision may be made unnecessary if the Licensing Board grants reconsideration and makes a determination thereon favorable to Applicant. Therefore, Applicant has no objection to the Staff's motion, provided it is granted an extension of time equivalent to that granted the Staff, and Applicant hereby requests such extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing "Applicant's Response to NRC Staff's Motion for Extension of Time to File Exceptions," dated March 10, 1975, have been served on the following by deposit in the United States mail, first class or air mail, this 10th day of March, 1975.

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