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Mr. David L. Meyer
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Division of Administrative Services
Office of Administration
Mail Stop T6D59
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

SUBJECT: Public Comments on the Pilot Program for the New Regulatory Oversight Program (64 Fed. Reg. 60244; November 4, 1999)

Dear Mr. Meyer:

Florida Power & Light Company (FPL), the owner and operator of the St. Lucie Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2, and the Turkey Point Nuclear Plant, Units 3 and 4, hereby submits the following comments on the above-referenced pilot program for the new regulatory oversight program.

FPL has worked closely with the Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI) on this issue and fully endorses the comments provided by NEI on behalf of the nuclear energy industry.

FPL appreciates NRC's continuing efforts in developing the new Regulatory Oversight Process. We recognize that further refinements to the process will be necessary as industry-wide participation identifies additional issues. FPL will continue to support NEI and the industry efforts toward the implementation of this process

Sincerely,

Thomas F. Plunkett
President
Nuclear Division