

U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT

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RECEIPT OF PETITION FOR DIRECTOR'S DECISION
UNDER 10 CFR 2.206

Notice is hereby given that by Petitions dated February 26 and 27, March 6, 15, 17, 29, and 30, and April 4, 1998, Thomas J. Saporito, Jr. and National Litigation Consultants (Petitioners) have requested that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) take action with regard to Florida Power and Light's (FPL's) St. Lucie Plant, Units 1 and 2, and Turkey Point Plant, Units 3 and 4.

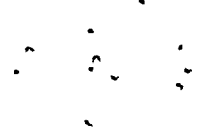
Petitioners request that the NRC take numerous actions, including certain immediate actions, with regard to the FPL St. Lucie and Turkey Point facilities. These actions include that the NRC: (1) take escalated enforcement action, including modifying, suspending, or revoking FPL's operating licenses until it demonstrates that there is a work environment which encourages employees to raise safety concerns directly to the NRC, and the issuance of civil penalties for violations of the NRC's requirements; (2) permit Petitioners to intervene in a public hearing regarding whether FPL has violated the NRC's employee protection regulations and require FPL to allow the National Litigation Consultants to assist its employees in understanding and exercising their rights under these regulations; (3) conduct investigations and require FPL to obtain appraisals and third-party oversight in order to determine whether its work environment encourages employees to freely raise nuclear safety concerns; (4) inform all employees of their rights under the Energy Reorganization Act and NRC's regulations to raise such concerns; and (5) establish a

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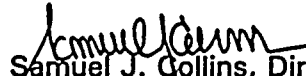
website on the Internet to allow employees to raise concerns to the NRC. As grounds for these requests, Petitioners assert that there is a widespread hostile work environment at FPL's facilities and that certain employees have been subjected to discrimination for raising nuclear safety concerns, and that the NRC's process for handling allegations and responding to concerns of discrimination has been ineffective. In addition, the Petition requests that the NRC immediately investigate concerns that contamination occurred and remains uncorrected because of the flow of water from a radioactive contaminated area at St. Lucie into an unlined pond, that FPL is improperly grouping work orders, thereby reducing the number of work open orders, that an excessive amount of contract labor remains onsite, and that, because NRC inspectors are only assigned to the day shift, many employees do not have access to the NRC onsite and inspectors cannot monitor safety-related work functions outside the day shift. As grounds for these requests, Petitioners assert that the storm drains from FPL's radioactive contaminated area flow into the pond and that FPL is aware of the problem but has failed to identify or correct this and directs its Health Physics personnel to survey the pond by sampling only surface water.

The requests are being treated pursuant to 10 CFR 2.206 of the Commission's regulations. The requests have been referred to the Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation. The Petitioners' requests for immediate action were denied by letter.

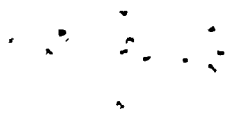


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