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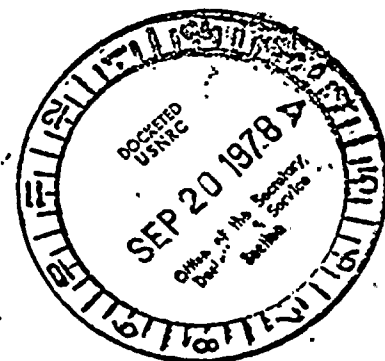
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September 20, 1978

Mr. Samuel J. Chilk
Secretary
United States Nuclear Regulatory
Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Re: Florida Power & Light Company,
St. Lucie Plant Unit No. 1,
Turkey Point Plant, Unit Nos.
3 and 4, Docket Nos. 50-335A,
50-250A, 50-251A.



Dear Mr. Chilk:

This is in response to Florida Power & Light Company's ("FP&L")'s September 13, 1978 letter requesting oral argument. Florida Cities, of course, do not object to oral argument, if the Commission finds it desirable. However, all arguments that could have been made have been exhaustively covered by the pleadings. Indeed, FP&L advertises to no new argument it would choose to make.

There is obvious detriment to the public interest from delay. Procedurally, the St. Lucie 2 prehearing conference was held yesterday and discovery is commencing. Even though FP&L has been found guilty of law violation, another drawn out process to determine merely whether to commence a hearing allows FP&L to continue using its operating plants for purposes of monopolization, even to the extent of seeking to deny wholesale sales of electricity, generated in part from nuclear generation.

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Therefore, Florida Cities suggest that oral argument be held only if the Commission finds it necessary. They respectfully request that if oral argument be held, the Commission make every effort to enter a speedy decision.

Respectfully submitted,

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

Florida Power & Light Company)	Docket No. 50-335A
(St. Lucie Plant, Unit No. 1))	
)	
Florida Power & Light Company)	Docket Nos. 50-250A
(Turkey Point Plant, Unit Nos.)	50-251A
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