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United States  
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Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability

NextEra Energy Power Marketing, LLC

OE Docket No. EA-348-A

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Amendment to  
Order Authorizing Electricity Exports to Canada

Order No. EA-348-A

March 26, 2009

# **NextEra Energy Power Marketing, LLC**

## **Electricity Export Authorization Amendment**

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### **I. BACKGROUND**

Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated by the Department of Energy (DOE) pursuant to sections 301(b) and 402(f) of the Department of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7151(b), 7172(f)) and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C.824a(e))<sup>1</sup>.

On February 11, 2009, DOE issued Order No. EA-348 to FPL Energy Power Marketing, Inc. (PMI) authorizing electricity exports to Canada for a five-year period. That Order will expire on February 11, 2014.

On March 19, 2009, FPL notified DOE that, effective March 12, 2009, it changed its legal name to NextEra Energy Power Marketing, LLC (NextEra) and requested that it be authorized to export under its new name.

### **II. FINDING AND DECISION**

DOE finds that the action requested by NextEra would have no effect on DOE's electric reliability determinations contained in Docket No. EA-348.

Similarly, DOE finds that it has adequately satisfied its responsibility under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 through the documentation of a categorical exclusion in Docket No. EA-348.

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<sup>1</sup> The authority to administer the International Electricity Regulatory Program through the regulation of electricity exports and the issuance of Presidential permits has been delegated to the Assistant Secretary for Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability in Redlegation Order No. 00-002.10B issued on March 4, 2008.

**IV. ORDER**

Based on the above findings, the electricity export authorization issued to FPL Energy Power Marketing on February 11, 2009, in Order No. EA-348, is hereby amended by changing the name of the authorized exporter to NextEra Energy Power Marketing, LLC.

All other terms and conditions of Order No. EA-348 remain unchanged.

Issued in Washington, D.C., on March 26, 2009.



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