OFFICE OF ENERGY ASSURANCE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY Tropical Storm Frances and Hurricane Ivan Situation Report September 9, 2004 (10:00 PM EDT)

HIGHLIGHTS

- Florida utilities continue to make progress in restoring power after Hurricane Frances. Currently, 970,234 Florida electricity customers (11%) remain without power.
- EA continues preparation for Hurricane Ivan which may impact Florida early Monday. The storm currently has sustained winds of 160 mph and is a Category 5 hurricane. The hurricane continues moving towards the west-northwest at about 15 mph. An image of the current storm path is available at: http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/ftp/graphics/AT09/refresh/AL0904W5+GIF/092038W5.gif

ELECTRIC INFORMATION [Report based on Florida EOC information 9/9/04 4:00 PM EDT]

- Florida Power and Light (FPL) reports that 625,600 of its customers (15%) remain without power, down from a peak of 2.5 million on Monday, 9/6. The company announced the following approximate restoration dates: South Palm Beach County (Boynton Beach South to county line), Clay, Alachua, Bradford, Baker, Columbia, Suwanee and Nassau by Wednesday, 9/15; North Brevard (Titusville), Seminole, Volusia, Flagler, Putnam, and St. Johns by Thursday, 9/16; North Palm Beach County by Friday, 9/17; remainder of Brevard by Saturday, 9/18; and Martin County, St. Lucie, Okeechobee, Glades and Indian River by Sunday, 9/19.
- Progress Energy Florida reports 155,892 of its customers (10%) currently without power, down from a peak of 832,898 on Monday, 9/6.
- Tampa Electric Company reports 20,000 customer outages (3%), down from a peak of 268,000. The company estimates that it will restore power to all customers by Friday, 9/10, except those who are inaccessible due to flooding or other damages that prevent electrical service
- Municipal utilities report a total of 69,375 customers (6%) without power.
- Cooperative utilities report a total of 99,367 customers (12%) without power.

OIL AND GAS INFORMATION

• No updates at this time.

COUNTY OUTAGE DATA – Data shown in the Table are as of 9/9/04 (4:00 PM EDT)

Outage Data for Hard Hit Florida Counties Customers w/o			
County	Power	Total Customers	% w/o Power
Alachua	22,918	113,439	20%
Baker	2,107	10,593	20%
Bradford	2,357	12,892	18%
Brevard	75,330	269,477	28%
Broward	25,200	868,000	3%
Citrus	20,451	78,128	26%
Clay	16,395	65,639	
Columbia	7,909	32,088	25%
Dixie	1,600	9,409	
Duval	19,784	416,524	
Flagler	8,803	41,619	
Gilchrist	1,612	8,315	
Hernando	9,079	78,850	
Hillsborough	18,558	548,462	
Indian River	44,790	76,144	
Lake	14,113	137,733	
Levy	6,113	22,152	
Manatee	3,299	169,540	2%
Marion	51,745	163,629	32%
Martin	48,700	84,700	57%
Nassau	1,618	21,387	
Okeechobee	13,715	21,300	64%
Orange	21,132	445,658	
Palm Beach	260,675	693,500	
Pasco	8,541	214,765	4%
Pinellas	25,043	523,718	5%
Polk	2,370	265,820	1%
Putnam	20,278	43,279	
Sarasota	2,000	226,741	1%
Seminole	14,117	194,551	7%
St. Johns	21,100	61,779	
St. Lucie	77,500	121,600	
Sumter	6,485	36,538	
Union	1,176	5,018	
Volusia	88,483	256,696	

Note: This table does not display county outages with less than 1,000 customers and 5% of the customer base