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#### VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Blanca S. Bayo, Director Florida Public Service Commission Division of Records and Reporting 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0870

Docket No. 990037-EI; Petition to Intervene By Lykes Meat Group, Inc. Re: Our File Number: 013450.01000

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing are the original and seven copies of the Petition to Intervene by Lykes Meat Group, Inc.

Please have the extra copy of the Petition date stamped and returned to me in the enclosed, preaddressed, stamped envelope.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

SALEM, SAXON & NIELSEN, P.A. APP CAF oy J. Ford, Jr. Enclosure MAS Joe Garcia, Public Service Commission Bob Elias, Public Service Commission 221 **D**FILED Lee L. Willis, Esq. James D. Beasley, Esq. RECORDS Angela Llewellyn, TECO Harry Long, Teco DOCUMENT NUMBER - DATE Robert F. Urell, Smithfield Foods, Inc. 09669 AUG 168 Tim Sinsky, Lykes F:\CL\SMITHFIE\LETR\BAYO2.RJF シュート 日本市 (在外国家)第3

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#### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Tampa Electric Company To Close Rate Schedules IS-3 and IST-3.

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Docket No. 990037-EI

File: August 16, 1999

#### PETITION TO INTERVENE BY LYKES MEAT GROUP, INC.

LYKES MEAT GROUP, INC. ("Lykes") hereby files its Petition to Intervene in the

above docket. As grounds therefore, Lykes states:

1. The name, address, and telephone number of Lykes is:

Lykes Meat Group, Inc. c/o Roy J. Ford, Jr., Esq. Salem, Saxon & Nielsen, P.A. 101 East Kennedy Boulevard Suite 3200 Tampa, Florida 33602 813-224-9000

2. Copies of all orders, notices, pleadings and correspondence should be sent to:

Tim Sinskey Vice President, Operations Lykes Meat Group, Inc. P.O. Box 518 Plant City, FL 33564 813-752-1102

3. In the above-styled docket, Tampa Electric Company ("TECO") seeks approval to

close Rate Schedules IS-3 and IST-3.

4. Lykes has been receiving service from TECO on the IST-3 rate schedule since

May 1995.

- 5. The cost of electricity is a large variable cost of Lykes' business.
- 6. Lykes has a substantial interest in this docket and will be substantially affected by

any action the Commission takes on TECO's petition.

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- 7. Lykes is filing this petition in order to be able to assert verbally its position at the agenda conference presently scheduled for August 17, 1999.
  - 8. Lykes will take the docket as Lykes finds it.

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WHEREFORE, Lykes requests that the Commission grant Lykes' Petition to Intervene and accord it full party status in this docket.

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By:

RICHARO J. SALEM, ESQ. Florida Bar #152524 ROY J. FORD JR., ESQ. Florida Bar #0011843 Attorneys for Lykes Meat Group, Inc.

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petition to Intervene

by Lykes Meat Group, Inc., was served by U.S. Mail this 3 day of August, 1999 to the

following:

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Bob Elias Florida Public Service Commission Division of Legal Services 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0870

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Angela Llewellyn Administrator, Regulatory Coordination Tampa Electric Company P.O. Box 111 Tampa, FL 33601

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