BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREHEARING CONFERENCE

TO

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY, D/B/A PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

RE: DOCKET NO. 990935-GU

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF EXPERIMENTAL RIDER FTA-2 (FIRM TRANSPORTATION AGGREGATION SERVICE 2) AND MODIFICATIONS TO IMBALANCE CASHOUT PROVISIONS OF RIDER FTA PROGRAM, BY TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY D/B/A PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM.

ISSUED: December 14, 1999

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a hearing will be held before the Florida Public Service Commission regarding the petition of Tampa Electric Company d/b/a Peoples Gas System for approval of experimental Rider FTA-2 and modifications to the imbalance cashout provisions of Rider FTA, at the following time and place:

> 9:30 a.m., Friday, January 14, 2000 Betty Easley Conference Center, Room 148 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

The purpose of this hearing is to consider the petition of Tampa Electric Company d/b/a Peoples Gas System for approval of experimental Rider FTA-2 and modifications to the imbalance cashout provisions of Rider FTA and any motions or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions from the bench or may take the matters under advisement.

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At the hearing, all parties shall be given the opportunity to present testimony and other evidence on the issues identified by the parties at the Prehearing Conference held on Monday, January 10, 2000. All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

PREHEARING CONFERENCE

A Prehearing Conference will be held before Commissioner Susan F. Clark, as Prehearing Officer, regarding the above-referenced matter, a the following time and place:

> 1:30 p.m., Monday, January 10, 2000 4075 Esplanade Way Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center Tallahassee, Florida

<u>PURPOSE</u>

The purpose of this Prehearing Conference is: (1) to define and limit, if possible, the number of issues; (2) to determine the parties' positions on the issues; (3) to determine what facts, if any, may be stipulated; (4) to dispose of any motions or other matters that may be pending; and (5) to consider any other matters that may aid in the disposition of this case

Any person requiring some accommodation at this Prehearing Conference or Hearing, because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (850) 413-6770 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1 (800) 955-8771 (TDD).

JURISDICTION

This Commission is vested with jurisdiction over the subject matter by the provisions of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes. This hearing will be governed by said Chapter as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes and Chapters 25-7, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code. NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE AND HEARING DOCKET NO. 990935-GU PAGE 3

APPLICABLE STATUTES AND RULES

Sections 366.04, 366.05, and 366.06, Florida Statutes, and any other relevant sections of Chapter 366, Florida Statutes, are applicable to this proceeding, as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Chapters 25-7, 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this <u>14th</u> day of <u>December</u>, <u>1999</u>.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of Records and Reporting

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