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1		BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
2		PREPARED DIRECT TESTIMONY
3		OF
4		LAWRENCE W. RODRIGUEZ
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6	Q.	Please state your name, address, occupation and employer.
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8	A.	My name is Larry Rodriguez. My business address is 702
9		North Franklin Street, Tampa, Florida 33602. I am an
10		Account Manager in the Marketing and Sales Department of
11		Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" 🥨 "the
12		company").
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14	Q.	Please provide a brief outline of your business
15		experience and educational background.
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17	A.	I earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Electrical
18		Engineering in 1970 and a Masters in Business
19		Administration in 1972, both from the University of
20		Florida. I am a Registered Professional Engineer in the
21		State of Florida, a Registered Electrical Contractor in
22		Hillsborough County, Florida, and a Certified Energy
23		Manager in the State of Florida.
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25		I have been employed by Tampa Elector the past 25
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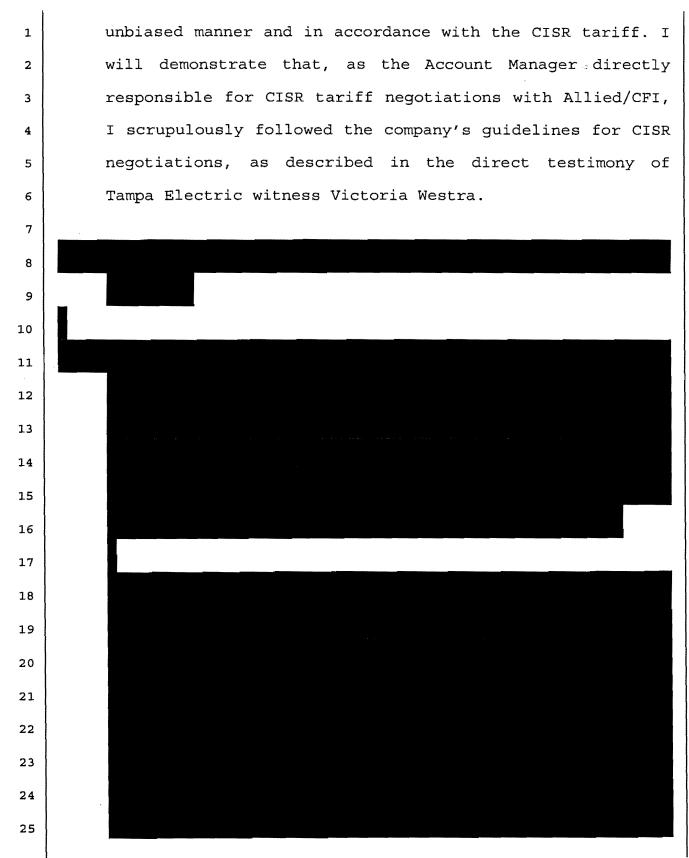
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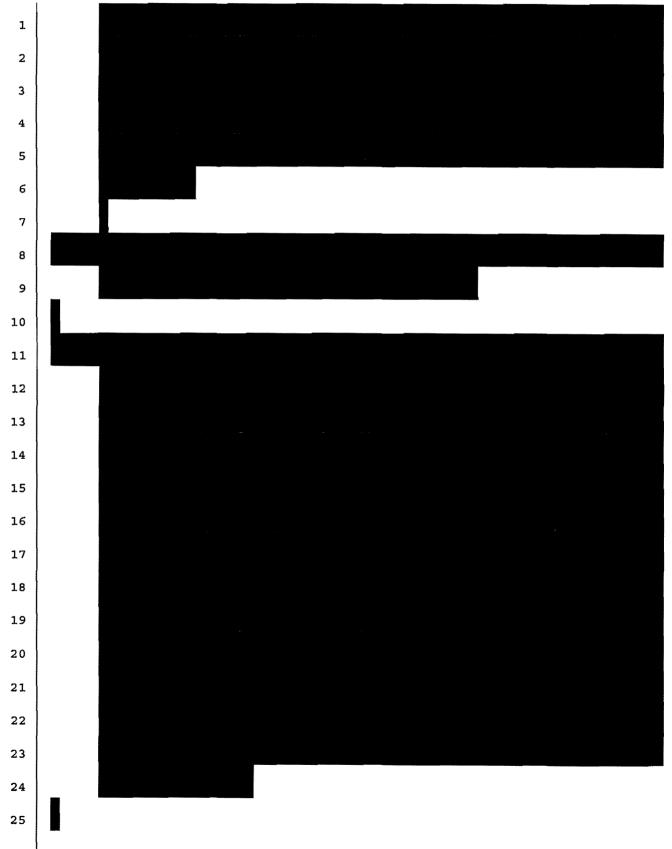
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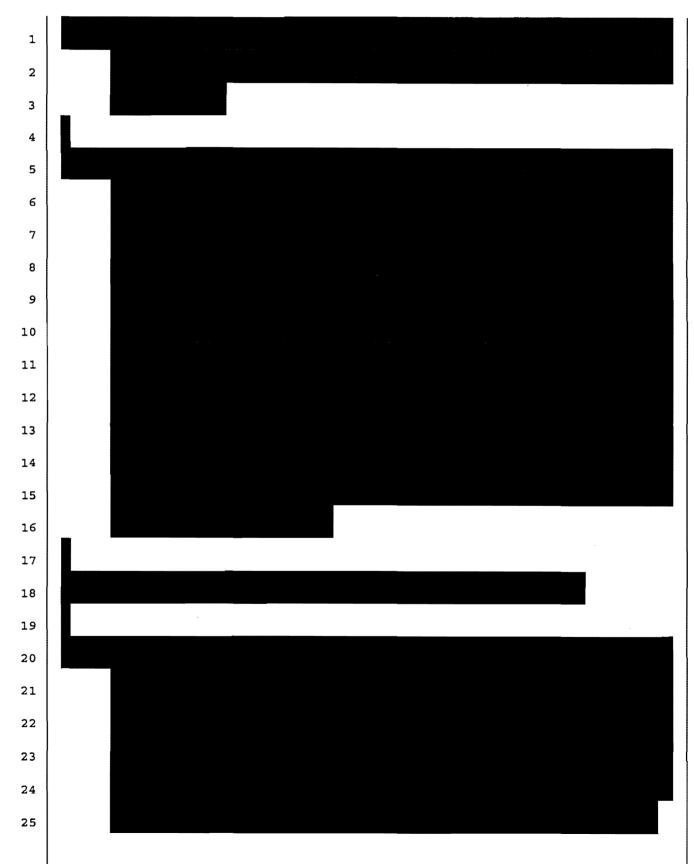
During that time, Ι have worked 1 years. in various departments within the company including Power 2 Plant Engineering, Transmission Distribution 3 and Design, Planning & Operations, Large Project Management, 4 and Account Services. In my current position as an Account 5 Manager in the company's Marketing and Sales Department, 6 I am responsible for managing a number of large corporate 7 accounts. My charge is to be familiar with the business 8 operations of my assigned accounts as well as the 9 industries within which they operate so that I can work 10 closely with customers to ensure that their energy needs 11 are met efficiently and effectively. In my role as 12 Account Manager, I provide customers with input on a wide 13 of energy matters including alternative fuels, 14 range technologies, generation rate evaluations, billing 15 inquiries, conservation, energy management, future growth 16 and competitive programs and services 17 18 What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding? Q. 19 20

The purpose of my testimony is to demonstrate that Tampa Α. 21 commenced Electric had negotiations with Allied 22 ("Allied/CFI") Universal/Chemical Formulators, Inc. for 23 service under Tampa Electric's Commercial/Industrial 24 Service Rider ("CISR") tariff in a fair, reasonable and 25

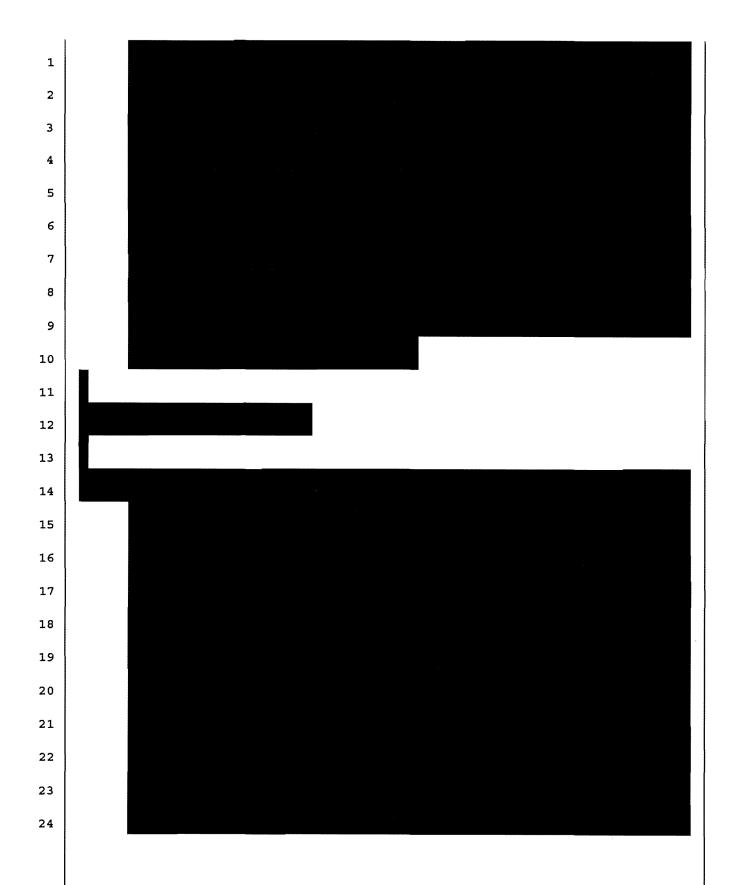




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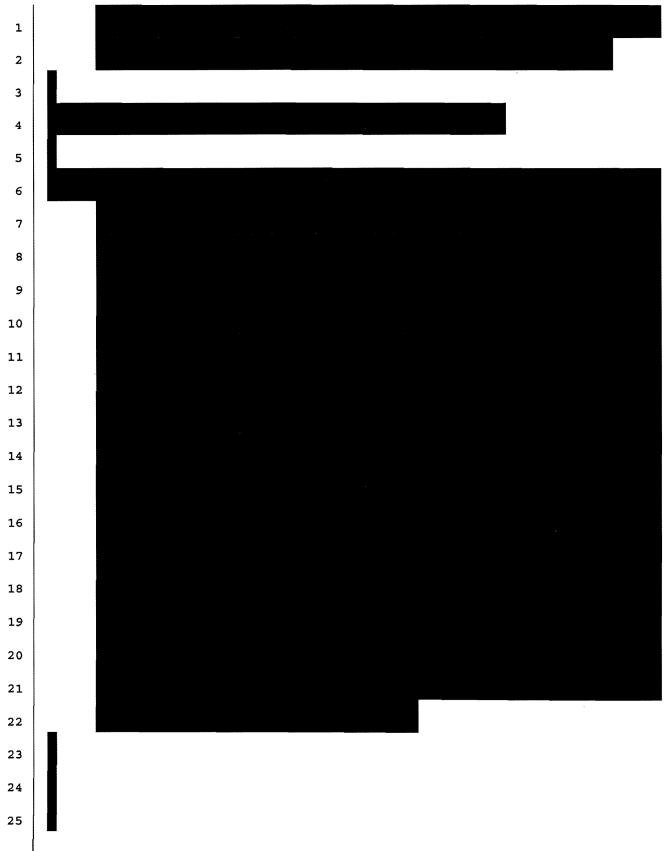




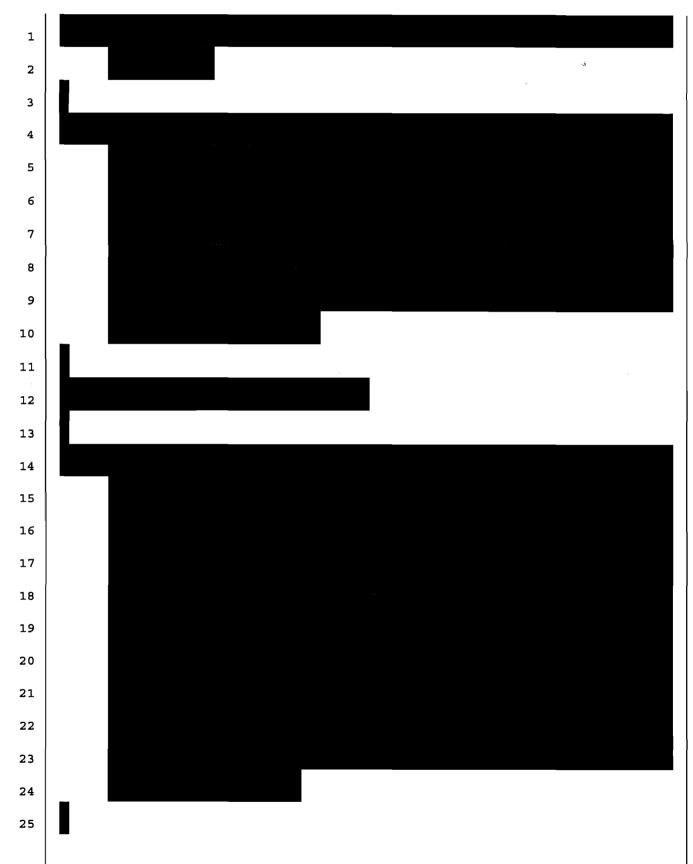


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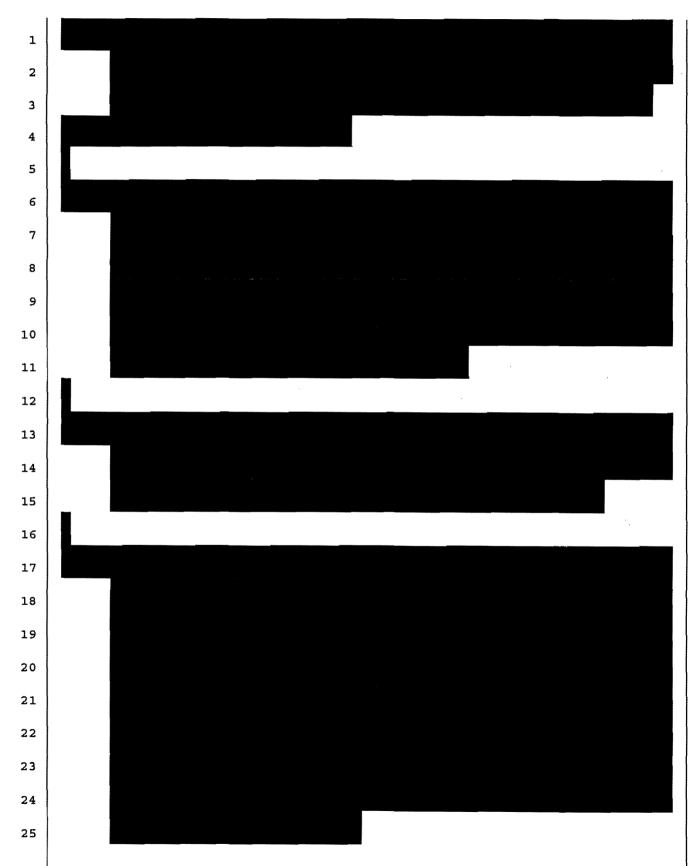
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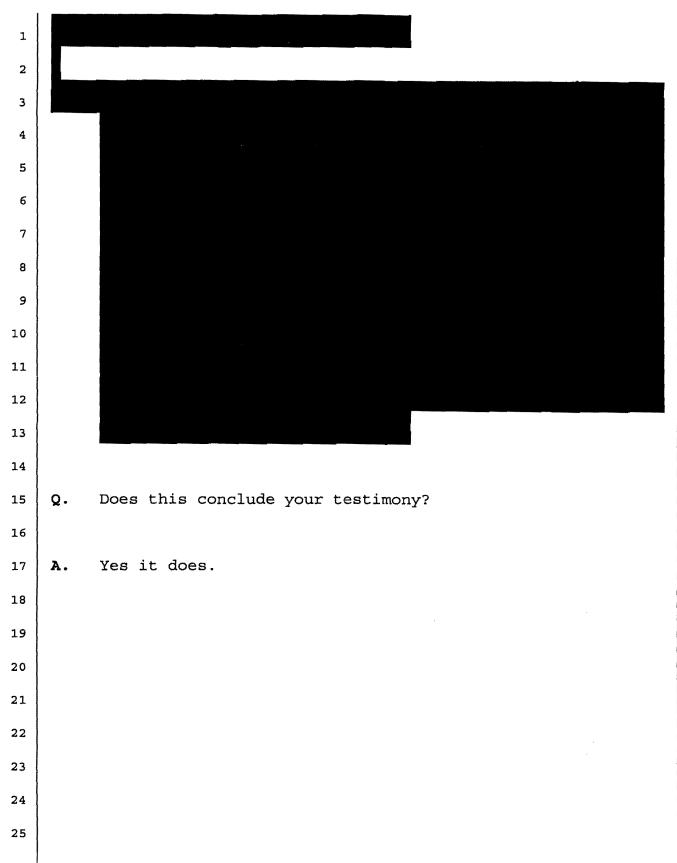
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