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September 26, 2007

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Ms. Ann Cole, Director Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Petition for approval of 2007 depreciation study and annual dismantlement accrual amounts by Tampa Electric Company; Docket No. 070284-EI

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and one copy of Tampa Electric Company's Answer to First Request for Production of Documents (No. 1) of the Florida Public Service Commission Staff, propounded and served by electronic and U. S. Mail on August 27, 2007.

Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the duplicate copy of this letter and returning same to this writer.

Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

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James D. Beasley

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for approval of 2007 depreciation study and annual dismantlement accrual amounts by Tampa Electric Company.

DOCKET NO. 070284-EI FILED: September 26, 2007

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S ANSWERS TO FIRST REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS (NO. 1) OF THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STAFF

Tampa Electric Company answers Staff's First Request for Production of Documents (No. 1), propounded and served on August 27, 2007, by stating it is this date furnishing Staff with the requested documents.

DATED this **21** day of September 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Answers to Staff's First Request for Production of Documents (No. 1), filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been furnished by hand delivery (*) on this 26 day of September 2007 to the following

Mr. Ralph R. Jaeger Senior Attorney Office of General Counsel Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

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