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DATE: August 16, 2018
TO: Walter Trierweiler, Attorney Supervisor, Office of the General Counsel
FROM: Orlando Wooten, Engineering Specialist I, Division of Engineering *December*RE: CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION DOCKET NO: 20180133-EI DOCUMENT NO: 05032-2018 DESCRIPTION: <u>TECO (Beasley) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Yellow highlighted information contained in response to staff's 1st [set of] PODs (Nos. 2, 3, and 6).
SOURCE: Tampa Electric Company
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Pursuant to Section 366.093, (F.S.), and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Tampa Electric Company (TECO or Company) requests confidential classification of certain information filed in response to staff discovery, in the above referenced docket, dated August 1, 2018. This recommendation specifically addresses TECO's response to Staff's 1st Request for Production of Documents (POD), Nos. 2, 3, and 6.

The Company is claiming confidentiality of its Responses to Staff's 1st Request for Production of Documents, Nos. 2, 3, and 6 under Section 366.093(3)(d), F.S., and Section 366.093(3)(e), F.S. Per the Statute, proprietary confidential business information includes, but is not limited to; Subsection (d) "[i]nformation concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms," and Subsection (e) "[i]nformation relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information."

The information provided in response to Staff POD Nos. 2 and 3 for which confidential treatment is being sought can be described as the Company's bid responses from a TECO solicitation and/or contract terms and prices. The information provided in response to Staff POD No. 6 for which confidential treatment is being sought can be described as forecasted environmental compliance cost/price scenarios which the Company obtained from a third-party provider, namely ICF International.

Staff has reviewed the information TECO filed in response to Staff POD Nos. 2, 3, and 6, as well as the Company's confidentiality request. It is staff's opinion that the information that is the subject of this request meets the criteria for confidentiality contained in Section 366.093(3)(d), F.S., and Section 366.093(3)(e), F.S.



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TO: <u>Division of Engineering</u>, Office of Primary Responsibility

FROM: OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK

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The above confidential material was filed with a <u>request for confidential classification and</u> <u>motion for temporary protective order</u>. Please complete the following form by checking all applicable information and forward it to the attorney assigned to the docket, along with a brief memorandum supporting your recommendation.

- <u>x</u> The document(s) is (are), in fact, what the utility asserts it (them) to be.
- <u>x</u> The utility has provided enough details to perform a reasoned analysis of its request.
- <u>x</u> The material has been received incident to an inquiry.
- <u>x</u> The material is confidential business information because it includes:
 - ____ (a) Trade secrets;
 - (b) Internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors;
 - (c) Security measures, systems, or procedures;
 - x (d) Information concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms;
 - <u>x</u> (e) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of information;
 - ____ (f) Employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities;
- <u>x</u> The material appears to be confidential in nature and harm to the company or its ratepayers will result from public disclosure.
- _____ The material appears <u>not</u> to be confidential in nature.
- _____ The material is a periodic or recurring filing and each filing contains confidential information.

This response was prepared by <u>Orlando Wooten</u> on <u>8/16/2018</u>, a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel.