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DATE:	October 4, 2019	
то:	Suzanne S. Brownless, Special Counsel, Office of the General Counsel	
FROM:	Devlin Higgins, Public Utility Analyst IV, Division of Accounting & Finance	
RE:	CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION	
	DOCKET NO: 20190001-EI DOCUMENT NO: 09112-2019	
	DESCRIPTION: TECO (Beasley) - (CONFIDENTIAL) All yellow highlighte	ec
	information in answer to staff's 3rd set of interrogatories No. 18 (Bates stamp page	36
	<u>2).</u>	
	SOURCE: Tampa Electric Company	

Pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statues (F.S.), and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Tampa Electric Company (TECO or Company) requests confidential classification of certain information filed in the above referenced docket, dated 9/30/19.

The Company is claiming confidentiality of its filing under Section 366.093(3)(d), F.S., and Section 366.093(3)(e), F.S. Per the Statute, propriety of 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 for which confidential treatment is being sought can generally be described as estimated capacity-related sales pursuant to confidential contracts negotiated by and between TECO and certain energy providers.

Staff has reviewed Staff has reviewed the Company's Response to Staff's 3rd set of Interrogatories, No. 18, 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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- **DATE:** October 3, 2019
- TO: Division of Accounting and Finance, Office of Primary Responsibility
- FROM: OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK

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The above confidential material was filed along with a <u>request for confidential classification</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.

- X The document(s) is (are), in fact, what the utility asserts it (them) to be.
- X The utility has provided enough details to perform a reasoned analysis of its request.
- The material has been received incident to an inquiry.
- X 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;
 - \underline{X} (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;
- X The material appears to be confidential in nature and harm to the company or its ratepayers will result from public disclosure.
 - The material appears not 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>Devlin Higgins</u> on 10/4/19_____, a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel.