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Public Service Commission

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Mr. James D. Beasley Ausley & McMullen Post Office Box 391 Tallahassee, Florida 32302 jbeasley@ausley.com VIA EMAIL

Re: Docket No. 20200053-EG - Petition for approval of demand-side management plan, by Tampa Electric Company.

Dear Mr. Beasley:

On August 3, 2020, the Commission issued Order No. PSC-2020-0274-PAA-EG, approving the Demand-Side Management (DSM) plan for Tampa Electric Company (TECO). TECO filed program participation standards on August 31, 2020.

Commission staff has reviewed TECO's filing and believes the DSM plan program participation standards are consistent with the DSM plan approved by the Commission. Staff requests that TECO notify the Commission prior to any changes being made to the program standards as filed.

Sincerely,

/s/ Tom Ballínger

Tom Ballinger, Director Division of Engineering

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 20200053-EG) J. Jeffry Wahlen/Malcolm N. Means – Ausley & McMullen Paula Brown – Regulatory Affairs (<u>regdept@tecoenergy.com</u>)

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