

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Public Service Commission has received a petition from Tampa Electric Company filed December 15, 1997, in Docket No. 971617-EG, seeking waiver from Rule 25-6.015(3)(a), Florida Administrative Code. The rule provides that all source documents retained as required by Title 18, Subchapter C, Part 125, Code of Federal Regulations, shall be maintained in their original form for a minimum of three years after the date the document was created or received by the utility. Paragraph (3)(a) permits the Commission to waive this requirement upon a utility's showing that it employs a storage and retrieval system that consistently produces clear, readable copies that are substantially equivalent to the originals, and clearly reproduces handwritten notations on documents. Tampa Electric Company seeks such a waiver. Comments on the petition should be filed with the Commission's Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within 14 days after publication of this notice. A copy of the petition can be obtained from the Division of Records and Reporting. For additional information, please contact Cochran Keating, Esquire, Division of Legal Services, at the above address or telephone (904) 413-6199.

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