

VOTE SHEET

AUGUST 15, 2000

RE: DOCKET NO. 001048-EQ - Petition by Cargill Fertilizer, Inc. to engage in a pilot project for self service wheeling to, from, and between points within Tampa Electric Company's service area.

Issue 1: Should the Commission approve a petition by Cargill Fertilizer, Inc. for approval of a pilot program for self-service wheeling within Tampa Electric Company's (TECO) service territory?

Recommendation: Yes. The Commission should approve Cargill's request on an experimental basis for a period of two years or until TECO's next full revenue requirements rate case, whichever comes first. TECO should be required to provide the Commission staff with quarterly reports that identify the costs and revenues associated with this experimental program. The Commission may revisit the approval of this experiment at any time if there appears to be an adverse financial or reliability impact to TECO's ratepayers.

**APPROVED**

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a consummating order.

**APPROVED**