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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Adam J. Teitzman
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Florida Public Service Commission
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Re: Docket No. 20260053-EI
Review of the 2024-2025 outage of Tampa Electric Company's Bayside Steam Turbine Unit 2

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Attached for filing is Tampa Electric Company's Request for Confidential Classification of certain information contained in the company's responses to the Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 3-11). Also attached is an accompanying USB containing the public (redacted) version of these documents.

Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

Sincerely,

Malcolm N. Means

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Attachment

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1 redacted EXH "B" on USB

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Review of the 2024-2025 outage of
Tampa Electric Company's Bayside
Steam Turbine Unit 2.

DOCKET NO. 20260053-EI

FILED: May 6, 2026

**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or the "company"), pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby requests confidential classification of the yellow highlighted information contained in the following described document(s) ("the Document(s)") stamped "CONFIDENTIAL" and all information that is or may be printed on yellow paper stock stamped "CONFIDENTIAL" within the Document(s), all of said confidential information being hereinafter referred to as "Confidential Information."

Description of the Document(s)

On April 8, 2026, Tampa Electric served its responses to the Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, Nos. 3-11 ("OPC's Request"). On the same date, the company filed a Motion for Temporary Protective order pertaining to its responses to OPC's Request. The Commission granted the Motion for Temporary Protective order on April 13, 2026, by Order No. PSC-2026-0089-CFO-EI. The company believes that portions of its responses to OPC's Request, requested by Commission Staff and specified on Exhibit "A," constitute Confidential Information and has designated it as such by highlighting. Contemporaneously with the filing of this request, Tampa Electric submitted the Confidential Information to the Commission Clerk under a separate, confidential cover letter. Tampa Electric requests confidential classification for this

information such that it will be entitled to protection against public disclosure pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes. In support of this request, the company states:

1. Subsection 366.093(1), Florida Statutes, provides that any records "found by the Commission to be proprietary confidential business information shall be kept confidential and shall be exempt from s. 119.07(1), Florida Statutes [requiring disclosure under the Public Records Act]." Proprietary confidential business information includes but is not limited to: (a) trade secrets; (b) internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors; (c) security measures, systems, or procedures; (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; (e) information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information; and (f) employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities. §366.093(3)(a)-(f), Fla. Stat. The Confidential Information that is the subject of this request falls within one or more of these statutory categories and, thus, constitutes proprietary confidential business information entitled to protection under Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code.

2. Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is a justification for confidential treatment of the Confidential Information contained in the Documents.

3. Exhibit "B" contains the public versions of the Documents with the Confidential Information.

4. The Confidential Information contained in the Documents is intended to be and is treated by Tampa Electric as private and has not been publicly disclosed.

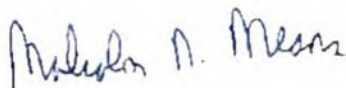
Requested Duration of Confidential Classification

5. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(9)(a), Tampa Electric requests that the Confidential Information be treated by the Commission as confidential proprietary business information for 18 months. If, and to the extent that the company is in need of confidential classification of the Confidential Information beyond the 18-month period set forth in the Commission rule, the justification and grounds for such extended confidential treatment are set forth in Exhibit "C" to this request.

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric Company respectfully requests that the Confidential Information that is the subject of this request be accorded confidential classification for the reasons set forth herein and for 18 months.

DATED this 6th day of May 2026.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Request for Confidential Classification, filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been furnished by electronic mail on this 6th day of May, 2026 to the following:

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**EXHIBIT A
JUSTIFICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT**

Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 3-11)			
Bates Page Nos.	Document Description	Description of Information	Justification
335 - 338 358 - 364 439 - 445 467 - 473 495 - 502 527 - 534 567 - 620 754 - 760 785 - 790 827 - 865 2102 - 2133	Emails and attachments between Tampa Electric and GE Vernova, provided in Tampa Electric's response to Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, No. 3a.	The Highlighted Information.	(5) & (7)
43515 - 44110	Reported provided by GE Vernova, provided in Tampa Electric's response to Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, No. 3b.	The Highlighted Information.	(5) & (7)
44294 - 44295 44296 - 44312 44578 - 44581 44601 - 44675 44756 - 44780 44787 - 44800 44900 - 44935 45423 - 45479 46928 - 46933 47446 - 47452 47799 - 47806 47815 - 47856	Internal correspondence and attachments, provided in Tampa Electric's response to Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, No. 3c.	The Highlighted Information.	(5) & (7)
89164 - 89184	Entrust Solutions Groups and TG Advisor reports, provided in Tampa Electric's response to Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, No. 4b.	The Highlighted Information.	(5) & (7)
134887 - 134907 134959 - 135027 135036 - 135093	Internal correspondence and attachments, provided in Tampa Electric's response to Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, No. 5a.	The Highlighted Information.	(5) & (7)

135135 - 135149	Measurements of the final turbine alignment, provided in Tampa Electric's response to Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, No. 5c.	The Highlighted Information.	(5) & (7)
172888 - 172900	Data point unit measurements, provided in Tampa Electric's response to Office of Public Counsel's Second Request for Production of Documents, No. 9e.	The Highlighted Information.	(5) & (7)

Justifications

- (1) The highlighted information relates to trade secrets, and is protected under section 366.093(3)(a), Florida Statutes.
- (2) The highlighted information relates to internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors, and is protected under section 366.093(3)(b), Florida Statutes.
- (3) The highlighted information pertains to security measures, systems or procedures and is protected under section 366.093(3)(c), Florida Statutes.
- (4) The highlighted information concerns bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the company or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms and is protected under Section 366.093(d), Florida Statutes.
- (5) The highlighted information relates competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. This information is protected by section 366.093(3)(e), Florida Statutes.
- (6) The highlighted information relates to employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities. This information is protected under section 366.093(f), Florida Statutes.
- (7) The highlighted information consists of the proprietary work product of certain third parties, disclosure of this information would allow duplication of this entity's work without compensation for their efforts. This information is in the nature of a trade secret owned by such entities and disclosure of this information would impair competitive business interests by revealing competitive pricing related information. This information is protected Section 366.093(3)(a) and (e), Florida Statutes.

EXHIBIT B
PUBLIC VERSION(S) OF THE DOCUMENT(S)

Attached hereto (unless previously filed as may be noted below) are two public versions of the Document(s) with the Confidential Information redacted.

Public Version(s) of the Document(s) attached _____

Public Version(s) of the Document(s) attached via USB X

EXHIBIT C
JUSTIFICATION FOR EXTENSION OF CONFIDENTIALITY PERIOD

N/A