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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
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2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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Re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Factor
and Generating Performance Incentive Factor
FPSC Docket No. 970001-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket on behalf of Tampa Electric Company are fifteen (15) copies of each of the following:

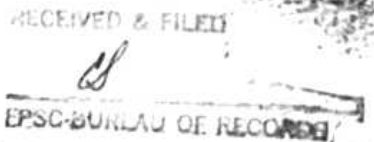
- 1. Supplement to Petition - 06401-97
- 2. Prepared Direct Testimony of Charles R. Black and Exhibit CRB-1 06402-97
- 3. Supplemental Testimony of Karen A. Branick and Exhibit KAB-5 06403-97
- 4. Prepared Direct Testimony of Gerard J. Kordecki and Exhibit GJK-1 06404-97

Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the duplicate copy of this letter and returning the same to this writer.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company"), supplements its petition filed June 23, 1997 as follows:

1. Tampa Electric this day is filing the testimony and exhibits of Charles R. Black relating to the annual review of Tampa Electric's coal and coal transportation prices relative to pricing benchmarks calculated in the manner previously established by the Commission.

2. The transportation price analysis is based on information supplied by two of the four municipal electric utilities relied upon by Tampa Electric for purposes of determining the transportation benchmark price. The company is attempting to obtain the transportation benchmark data from the other two municipal electric utilities and will supply that information to the Commission as soon as possible.

3. As explained in the testimony and exhibit of Charles R. Black, the company's coal and coal transportation prices for 1996 were below the coal and coal transportation benchmarks calculated in accordance with the Commission's previously approved methodology.

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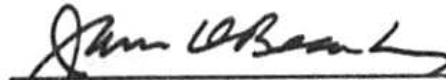
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FPSC-RECORDS/REPORTING

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric submits the foregoing as its supplement to the petition filed by the company in this docket on June 23, 1997.

DATED this 25th day of June, 1997.

Respectfully submitted,



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