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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

> Re: Complaint of Allied Universal Corporation and Chemical Formulators, Inc.

against Tampa Electric Company; FPSC Docket No. 000061-EI

FILING OF CONFIDENTIAL PROPRIETARY BUSINESS INFORMATION

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed is a single confidential version of Tampa Electric Company's Answers to Second Request for production of Documents (Nos. 9-10) of the Florida Public Service Commission Staff. These answers are submitted on a confidential basis pursuant to the Commission's determination in Order No. PSC-00-1171-CFO-EI issued in the above docket on June 27, 2000 that the application of the rate impact measure ("RIM") analysis is entitled to protection from public disclosure pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, (Order No. PSC-00-1171-CFO-EI at pages 23-25). Accordingly, we request that the enclosed confidential version of Tampa Electric Company's answers be treated confidentially and protected against disclosure to the public.

Staff is being furnished a redacted version of Tampa Electric Company's answers along with a copy of this letter to inform them that the unredacted confidential version is being filed with your office.

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

Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

Sincerely,

James D. Beasley

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