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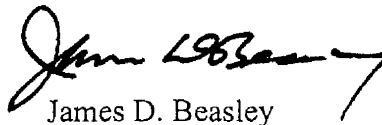
Mr. Joseph D. Jenkins, Director
Division of Safety & Electric Reliability
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Tampa Electric Company's Standard Offer Contract

Dear Mr. Jenkins:

This is to notify the Commission that Tampa Electric Company, pursuant to its Standard Offer Contract tariff, is this date initiating an additional three week open season for subscriptions.

Sincerely,


James D. Beasley

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cc: Blanca S. Bayo, Director
Division of Commission Clerk
and Administrative Services

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