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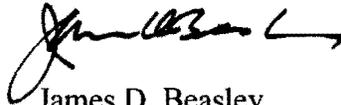
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Re: Industry survey for legislative review of agency rules in effect on or before  
November 16, 2010; FPSC Docket No. 110303-OT

Dear Ms. Lewis:

Enclosed for filing is Tampa Electric Company's answers to Staff's survey questions on  
Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C., propounded and served by U. S. Mail on November 21, 2012.

Sincerely,



James D. Beasley

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Enclosure

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**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY  
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The following survey questions apply to Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C. - Nuclear or Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle Power Plant Cost Recovery. The Company's response data to these survey questions should be provided for the entire rule, unless the response data is available by rule section, in which case we request the response data be provided by rule section. Please present data in annualized format, if possible, and all cost or benefit dollar estimates should be stated in nominal terms. Please indicate whether the data is actual or projected. Relevant definitions are attached.

1. What are the Company's estimated transactional costs (as defined in Subparagraph 12a541(2)(d), F.S.) resulting from the Company's compliance with Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C., Subparagraphs 1,2,3,6, and 7 for the five-year period beginning July 1,2011 ?

A. \$0

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2. What are the actual or estimated transactional costs for each of the 5 years beginning July 1, 2011, to comply with Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C, Subparagraphs 4 and 5? Please specify which of these costs are recovered through base rates and/or which cost recovery clause. Include, for example, the following items:
- a. The costs of annual filings required to be submitted as part of the Company's capacity cost recovery clause filings.
  - b. Legal services and consultants.
  - c. Other costs associated with the required annual filings - please identify each.
- A.
- a. \$0
  - b. \$0
  - c. \$0

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3. What are the actual or estimated transactional costs for each of the 5 years beginning July 1, 2011, to comply with Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C., Subparagraph 8? Please specify which of these costs are recovered through base rates and/or which cost recovery clause. Include, for example, the following items:
- a. The costs of the Company's detailed statement of project costs required to be submitted as part of the Company's detailed statement of project cost filings as described in Rule 24-6.0423, subparagraphs 8(b) - 8(e).
  - b. The costs of including the additional information specified in Rule 25-6.0423, Subparagraph 8(f) in the Company's annual report filed pursuant to Rule 25-6.134, F.A.C.
- A.
- a. \$0
  - b. \$0

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**4.** Of the costs provided in answer to questions 1 through 3 above, which, if any, would be incurred by the Company if Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C, were not in effect?

**A.** None

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- 5.** What is the Company's estimate of the likely impact, stated in terms of costs and/or benefits on small businesses (as defined in Section 288.703, F.S.) located in the Company's service territory, resulting from the implementation of Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C, for the five-year period beginning July 1,2011?
  - A.** \$0 with regard to impacts from Tampa Electric projects.

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- 6.** What is the Company's estimate of the likely impact, stated in terms of costs and/or benefits on small counties and small cities (as defined in Section 120.52, F.S.) located in the Company's service territory, resulting from the implementation of Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C., for the five-year period beginning July 1, 2011?
- A.** \$0 with regard to impacts from Tampa Electric projects.

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- 7.** What is the Company's estimate of the likely impact, stated in terms of costs and/or benefits on entities located in the Company's service territory other than those specifically identified in questions 5 and 6, resulting from the implementation of Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C, for the five-year period beginning July 1,2011 ?
  - A.** \$0 with regard to impacts from Tampa Electric projects.

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- 8.** What does the Company believe is the expected impact of Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C, on economic growth, private sector job creation or employment, and private sector investment for the five-year period beginning July 1, 2011?
- A.** \$0 with regard to impacts from Tampa Electric projects.

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- 9.** What does the Company believe is the expected impact of Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C., on business competitiveness, including the ability of persons doing business in the Company's service territory to compete with persons doing business in states other than Florida or other domestic markets, productivity, and innovation, for the five-year period beginning July 1, 2011?
- A.** \$0 with regard to impacts from Tampa Electric projects.

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- 10.** What does the Company believe are the benefits associated with Rule 25-6.0423, F.A.C?
- A.** This rule provides a mechanism to permit utilities who seek to construct nuclear or integrated gasification combined cycle power plants to recover financing and certain other costs incurred during the construction phase. This mechanism for advanced cost recovery preserves any customer benefits that might be associated with these power generation technologies that would otherwise be foregone if utilities are unable to construct these technologies due to the unavailability of the advanced cost recovery mechanism.