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Ms. Ann Cole, Director
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Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Petition for Rate Increase by Tampa Electric Company
FPSC Docket No. 130040-EI

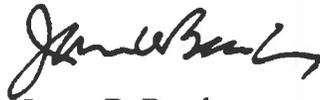
Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and one copy of Tampa Electric Company's Answer to the Florida Public Service Commission Staff's First Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 1-6), propounded and served by electronic and U. S. Mail on April 26, 2013.

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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Enclosure

cc: All Parties of Record (w/enc.)

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In re: Petition for Rate Increase)
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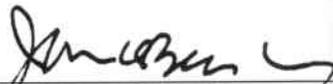
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**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S ANSWER
TO THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STAFF'S
FIRST REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS (NOS. 1-6)**

Pursuant to Rule 28-106.206, Florida Administrative Code, and Rule 1.350, Florida Rules of Civil Procedure, Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company") files this its Answer to the Florida Public Service Commission Staff's First Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 1-6) propounded and served on April 26, 2013. The company is this date furnishing the requested documents to Staff accompanied by a Request for Confidential Classification and Motion for a Temporary Protective Order.

DATED this 28th day of May 2013.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Answer, filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been served by hand delivery (*) or U. S. Mail on this 28th day of May, 2013 to the following:

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