

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by Tampa
Electric Company for approval of
revisions to Bright Choices
Outdoor Lighting Agreement.

DOCKET NO. 990573-EI
ORDER NO. PSC-99-1387-TRF-EI
ISSUED: July 19, 1999

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of
this matter:

JOE GARCIA, Chairman
J. TERRY DEASON
SUSAN F. CLARK
JULIA L. JOHNSON
E. LEON JACOBS, JR.

ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL OF PETITION
BY TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

BY THE COMMISSION:

Tampa Electric Company (TECO) offers three lighting rate schedules: High Pressure Sodium Street Lighting Service, High Pressure Sodium General Outdoor Lighting Service, and Premium Outdoor Lighting Service. Customers wishing to take service under any of these three rate schedules are required to sign the Bright Choices Outdoor Lighting Agreement (Agreement) with TECO. The Agreement specifies the terms and conditions under which TECO offers outdoor lighting service to its customers.

In its petition TECO proposes some minor modifications to the Agreement. One of the revisions proposed is to remove overly restrictive language related to indemnity and insurance that has caused concern to some of TECO's customers. TECO is also proposing an addendum to the Agreement, which allows customers with an existing agreement to request additional lighting equipment and/or fixtures without having to sign a new contract. The addendum will

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allow TECO to more easily manage changes to existing agreements. Finally, there are several miscellaneous changes to the language in the Agreement to make it more readable and improve customer understanding.

We have reviewed all the proposed changes and find that they are reasonable. Therefore, we approve the revisions.

The tariff revisions are effective on June 29, 1999, the date of our vote.

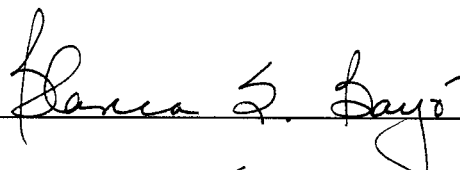
Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Tampa Electric Company's petition for approval of revisions to the Bright Choices Outdoor Lighting Agreement is granted, effective June 29, 1999. It is further

ORDERED that if a protest is filed within 21 days of issuance of the Order, the tariff shall remain in effect with any charges held subject to refund pending resolution of the protest. It is further

ORDERED that if no timely protest is filed, this docket shall be closed upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 19th day of July, 1999.



BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

The Commission's decision on this tariff is interim in nature and will become final, unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed action files a petition for a formal proceeding, in the form provided by Rule 28-106.201, Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on August 9, 1999.

In the absence of such a petition, this Order shall become final and effective upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

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MEMORANDUM

JULY 19, 1999

TO: DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING

FROM: DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (COLLINS) *ARC RUE*

RE: DOCKET NO. 990573-EI - PETITION BY TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO BRIGHT CHOICES OUTDOOR LIGHTING AGREEMENT

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Attached is an ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL OF PETITION BY TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY to be issued in the above-referenced docket. (Number of pages in order - 3)

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 cc: Division of Electric and Gas (Draper)
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