BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Complaint by Allied Universal Corporation and Chemical Formulators, Inc. against Tampa Electric Company for violation of Sections 366.03, 366.06(2), and 366.07, F.S., with respect to rates offered under commercial/industrial service rider tariff; petition to examine and inspect confidential information; and request for expedited relief. DOCKET NO. 000061-EI ORDER NO. PSC-01-1030-PCO-EI ISSUED: April 26, 2001

ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO REQUEST CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

On January 20, 2000, Allied Universal Corporation and Chemical Formulators, Inc. (Allied) filed a formal complaint against Tampa Electric Company (TECO). The complaint alleges that: 1) TECO violated Sections 366.03, 366.06(2), and 366.07, Florida Statutes, by offering discriminatory rates under its Commercial/Industrial Service Rider (CISR) tariff; and, 2) TECO breached its obligation of good faith under Order No. PSC-98-1081A-FOF-EI. Odyssey Manufacturing Company (Odyssey) and Sentry Industries (Sentry) are intervenors. They are separate companies but have the same president. Allied, Odyssey and Sentry manufacture bleach.

At the April 3, 2001, Agenda Conference, a Settlement Agreement was approved in this docket. The Settlement Agreement provided, among other things, that all prefiled testimony and exhibits filed in this docket, all depositions and associated exhibits taken in this docket, and all discovery responses provided by Tampa Electric Company would be admitted as evidence. Because those documents contained information that could potentially be confidential, the parties were required to submit requests for confidential classification of any such information by April 24, 2001.

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On April 23, 2001, TECO and Allied filed motions requesting additional time to submit their requests for confidential classification. Both parties requested seven day extensions, making the requests for confidential classification due by the close of business on May 1, 2001. The Intervenors have no objection to the extension.

Given the quantity of information to be reviewed, the requests for a seven day extension are reasonable. In addition, no party will be prejudiced by the extension. For these reasons, the Motions for Extension of Time shall be granted.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Chairman E. Leon Jacobs, Jr. as Prehearing Officer, that the Motions for Extension of Time filed by Tampa Electric Company and Allied Universal Corporation and Chemical Formulators, Inc. are granted.

By ORDER of Chairman E. Leon Jacobs, Jr. as Prehearing Officer, this <u>26th</u> Day of <u>April</u>, <u>2001</u>.

E. LEON JACOBS Chairman and Ptehearing Officer

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

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

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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.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.