

VOTE SHEET

FEBRUARY 3, 1998

RE: DOCKET NO. 971617-EG - Petition by Tampa Electric Company for variation or waiver of certain aspects of Rule 25-6.015, F.A.C., Record Retention Requirements.

Issue 1: Should Tampa Electric Company's petition for waiver of Rule 25-6.015(3)(a), F.A.C., be granted?

Recommendation: The Company's request for waiver should be denied. TECO's proposal for maintaining these records is inadequate to assure that they will be available for inspection, examination, and review. Thus, the Company has not shown that the purposes of the underlying statute will be met.

DEFERRED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

Five horizontal lines for majority signatures.

Five horizontal lines for dissenting signatures.

REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS: Staff to advise

COMMISSIONER GARCIA PARTICIPATED IN THE VOTE VIA VIDEO TELECONFERENCE. IN HIS VOTE, HE: AGREED WITH THE MAJORITY / DISSENTED. COMMISSIONER GARCIA WILL SIGN THE ORIGINAL VOTE SHEET UPON HIS RETURN TO TALLAHASSEE.

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the Commission's proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of issuance of the order, this docket should be closed.