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October 30, 2000

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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
Division of Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause with Generating Performance Incentive Factor; FPSC Docket No. 000001-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and one copy of Tampa Electric Company's Notice of Service of Answers to First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-18) of the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission, propounded and served by U. S. Mail on October 10, 2000.

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,

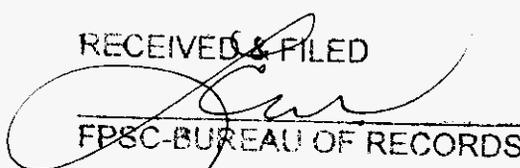

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery)
Clause with Generating Performance Incentive)
Factor.)
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DOCKET NO. 000001-EI
FILED: October 30, 2000

**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S NOTICE OF SERVICE
OF ANSWERS TO FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 1-18)
OF THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STAFF**

Tampa Electric Company has this date furnished by hand delivery to Wm. Cochran Keating, Senior Attorney, Division of Legal Services, Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, its Answers to First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-18), propounded and served by U. S. Mail on October 10, 2000.

The following portions of Tampa Electric's answers contain proprietary confidential business information and are the subject of a separate notice of intent to seek confidential classification filed on behalf of Tampa Electric: Interrogatory No. 1, Page 3 of 5; Interrogatory No. 1, Page 4 of 5; Interrogatory No. 1, Page 5 of 5. The originals of such pages have been filed under a separate cover letter with the Division of Records and Reporting and are available to Staff consistent with the Commission's rules governing the handling of confidential proprietary business information. The content of these confidential pages has been redacted from the public version being supplied to the Staff and the parties.

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DATED this 30th day of October 2000.

Respectfully submitted,



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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing Notice of Service has been furnished by U. S. Mail or hand delivery (*) on this 30th day of October, 2000 to the following:

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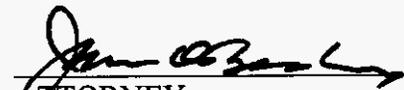
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