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

Re: Application of Cargill Fertilizer, Inc. to engage in self-service wheeling of waste heat cogenerated power to, from and between points within Tampa Electric Company's Service Territory; FPSC Docket No. 020898-EQ

Dear Ms. Bayo:

In connection with the experimental self-service wheeling program approved by the Commission in Docket No. 001048-EQ Tampa Electric submitted seven quarterly reports on a confidential basis, all of which were returned to Tampa Electric after being reviewed by the Commission's Staff. In connection with the Petition and Motion filed in this docket by Cargill Fertilizer, Inc., Staff has requested that Tampa Electric refile the seven confidential quarterly reports for Staff's consideration.

The seven quarterly reports in question (under cover letters dated February 16, 2001, May 14, 2001, August 17, 2001, December 10, 2001, February 15, 2002, May 15, 2002 and August 19, 2002) are being refilled this date with your office on a confidential basis under a separate cover letter. Redacted versions of these quarterly reports remain on file with the Commission pursuant to the earlier filings in Docket No. 001048-EQ.

Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is a justification for the confidential classification on the information contained in the seven quarterly reports, which confidential portions are circled in yellow on the confidential versions of the quarterly reports.

On behalf of Tampa Electric, we request that the confidential versions of the seven quarterly reports be treated as confidential proprietary business information pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code.

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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

JDB/pp  
Enclosures

cc: Angela Llewellyn (w/attachment)  
Michael Haff (w/attachment)  
Vicki Kaufman (w/attachment)

**JUSTIFICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION  
OF HIGHLIGHTED PORTIONS OF THE QUARTERLY REPORT**

The confidential portions of the Quarterly Report outlined in yellow reflect information concerning the electrical consumption of a single industrial customer of Tampa Electric, Cargill Fertilizer, Inc. Cargill is a participant in a very competitive industry. The confidential information circled in yellow either reflects or can be used to back into the electrical consumption of Cargill. Cargill's competitors could use this information to closely estimate the production activities of Cargill and thereby place Cargill at a distinct competitive disadvantage. As such, the information in question is entitled to confidential classification pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Commission Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code. The information in question is proprietary confidential business information public disclosure of which could harm Tampa Electric's customer, Cargill's ability to compete in the fertilizer industry. Accordingly, the Commission is requested to treat the highlighted information as confidential and exempt from public disclosure. Cargill and Tampa Electric treat the highlighted information as confidential and have not disclosed it publicly.