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TO: DIVISION OF THE COMMISSION CLERK AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

FROM: OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL (BROWN) *NCB*

RE: DOCKET NO. 950385-EI - JOINT PETITION OF FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION AND TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF PROVISION OF TEMPORARY AUXILIARY POWER SERVICE BY TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY TO A CURRENT FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION CUSTOMER.

Please place this letter in the docket file for the above-referenced docket. Thank you.

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June 17, 2003

HAND DELIVERED

Mr. James Breman
Division of Economic Regulation
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Joint petition of Florida Power Corporation and Tampa Electric Company for approval of provision of temporary auxiliary power service by Tampa Electric Company to a current Florida Power Corporation customer.
FPSC Docket No. 950385-EI

Dear Mr. Breman:

This is to update the Staff on the status of Tampa Electric Company's provision of temporary auxiliary power service by Tampa Electric Company to a current Progress Energy Florida Inc. (formerly Florida Power Corporation) customer, such temporary service having been authorized in Order No. PSC-95-0714-FOF-EI, issued in the above docket on June 13, 1995.

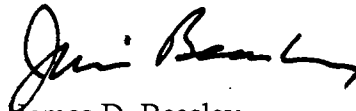
The customer, Mad Hatter Utility, Inc., remains connected to Tampa Electric's system as well as to the system of Progress Energy Florida, Inc. Pursuant to that order Tampa Electric is authorized to remain connected to Mad Hatter's Foxwood facility until Progress Energy can economically install the necessary equipment to provide the Foxwood facility with dual feed service. We have been advised by Progress Energy that it has not yet built out its system to the point that it can economically provide dual feed service to Mad Hatter's Foxwood facility and that the circumstances which initially led Progress Energy to request that Tampa Electric provide temporary service will continue for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, Mad Hatter will continue to require and Tampa Electric will continue to provide temporary service as authorized by the Commission's 1995 order.

In most months the service provided by Tampa Electric to Mad Hatter's Foxwood facility is zero and in those months when Mad Hatter takes electric power, the amount of electricity provided is very small -- in the neighborhood of 90 kilowatt hours per month.

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Should you have any questions regarding the foregoing, please feel free to contact me. I am authorized to represent that Progress Energy concurs in the substance of the foregoing update.

Sincerely,



James D. Beasley

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cc: James A. McGee

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