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NOVEMBER 3, 2003

RE: Docket No. 030001-EI - Fuel and purchased power cost recovery clause with generating performance incentive factor.

ISSUE 1: Should the Commission defer consideration of issues concerning Tampa Electric Company's coal transportation arrangements to a proceeding subsequent to the Commission's November 12-14, 2003, hearing in this docket?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. Additional time to review these issues would allow staff and the parties the opportunity to more fully evaluate the market rate analysis that Tampa Electric Company has offered to serve as the basis for the cost of waterborne coal transportation services to be charged to customers over the next five years. However, staff believes the Commission could decide these issues based on the record that would be established by the prefiled testimony and exhibits of Tampa Electric Company's and staff's witnesses in this docket and through cross-examination of those witnesses at hearing.

MODIFIED

The Commission will defer consideration of these issues to a separate proceeding, to be set as soon as possible by the prehearing officer.

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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ISSUE 2: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: No. This is an ongoing docket that should remain open.

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