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TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY  
VEGETATION MANAGEMENT REPORT  
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CONTAINS CRITICAL ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURE  
INFORMATION--- DO NOT RELEASE

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Subject	765 kV	500 kV	345 kV	230 kV	Tie-line Interconnection facilities of other voltages
<b>Range of ROW Width Maintained</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	75-150 feet	50-100 feet
<b>Minimum Clearance Assumptions</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Side: 5 feet Under: 5 feet	Side: 5 feet Under: 5 feet
<b>Standards Utilized for Clearances</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	1). Internal Corporate Standards 2). Florida Public Service Commission 3). Florida Statute 366 4). NESC Rule 218.	1). Internal Corporate Standards 2). Florida Public Service Commission 3). Florida Statute 366 4). NESC Rule 218.
<b>Ground inspection</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Annual	Annual
<b>Aerial Inspection</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>NIA</b>
<b>Vegetation Management Strategy</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	1). Remove non-compatible vegetation on the ROW corridor whenever the <b>line</b> is 50 feet or less off the ground. 2). Prune or remove trees to the side of the right-of-way to provide appropriate clearances. 3). Treat stumps and brush with herbicides to prevent growth into the facilities	1). Remove non-compatible vegetation on the ROW corridor whenever the line is 50 feet or less off the ground. 2). Prune or remove trees to the side of the right-of-way to provide appropriate clearances. 3). Treat stumps and brush with herbicides to prevent growth into the facilities
<b>Maintenance Cycle</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	3-10 years depending on circumstances	3-10 years depending on circumstances
<b>Alternative Vegetation Management Strategy</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Where restrictions due to easement limitations, legal prohibitions or other impediments <b>do</b> not allow tree removal, we prune trees under the <b>wires</b> to a minimum of 20 feet of clearance.	Where restrictions due to easement limitations, legal prohibitions or other impediments do not allow tree removal, <b>we</b> prune trees under the <b>wires</b> to a minimum of 20 feet of clearance.

Voltage	State(s)	Facility	Inspection Frequency		Last Inspection		Inspection Findings	Corrective Action		
			Ground	Aerial	Date	Type		Summer Readiness	Action Taken	Date Completed
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VERIFICATION

State of Florida )  
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County of Hillsborough )      ss:

Thomas L. **Hernandez**, Vice President-Energy Delivery, **Tampa** Electric Company, being first duly sworn, says that he has read the foregoing document **and knows** the contents thereof, and that the information therein is **true** and correct to the **best** of his knowledge, information and belief.

*Thomas Hernandez*

Subscribed and sworn to before me the 16<sup>th</sup> day of **June** 2004.

*Angela Lynn Llewellyn*  
Notary Public

**My Commission Expires:**

