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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
Division of Commission Clerk
and Administrative Services
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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Re: Environmental Cost Recovery Clause
FPSC Docket No. 050007-EI

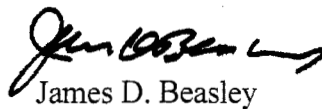
Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa Electric Company's Preliminary List of Issues and Positions.

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

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Enclosure

cc: All Parties of Record (w/enc.)

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Environmental Cost)
Recovery Clause.)
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DOCKET NO. 050007-EI
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**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
PRELIMINARY LIST OF ISSUES AND POSITIONS**

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company") hereby submits its Preliminary List of the Issues and Positions to be taken up at hearing scheduled to commence on November 7, 2005 in the above docket.

ISSUE 1: What are the final environmental cost recovery true-up amounts for the period ending December 31, 2004?

Tampa Electric's Position: An over-recovery of \$35,849. (Witness: Bryant)

ISSUE 2: What are the estimated environmental cost recovery true-up amounts for the period January 2005 through December 2005?

Tampa Electric's Position: An over-recovery of \$101,061,442. (Witness: Bryant)

ISSUE 3: What are the projected environmental cost recovery amounts for the period January 2006 through December 2006?

Tampa Electric's Position: The appropriate amount of environmental costs projected to be recovered for the period January 2006 through December 2006 is \$27,754,796. (Witness: Bryant)

ISSUE 4: What are the environmental cost recovery amounts, including true-up amounts, for the period January 2006 through December 2006?

Tampa Electric's Position: The total environmental cost recovery amount, including true-up amounts, for the period January 2006 through December 2006 is (\$73,395,302) after the adjustment for taxes. (Witness: Bryant)

ISSUE 5: What depreciation rates should be used to develop the depreciation expense included in the total environmental cost recovery amounts for the period January 2006 through December 2006?

Tampa Electric's Position: The depreciation rates used to calculate the depreciation expense shall be the rates that are in effect during the period the allowed capital investment is in service. (Witness: Bryant)

ISSUE 6: What are the appropriate jurisdictional separation factors for the projected period January 2006 through December 2006?

Tampa Electric's Position: The demand jurisdictional separation factor is 96.41722%. The energy jurisdictional separation factors are calculated for each month based on retail kWh sales as a percentage of projected total system kWh sales. These are shown on the schedules sponsored by witness Bryant. (Witness: Bryant)

ISSUE 7: What are the appropriate environmental cost recovery factors for the period January 2006 through December 2006, for each rate group?

Tampa Electric's Position: The appropriate environmental cost recovery factors for the period January 2006 through December 2006 for each rate group are as follows:

<u>Rate Class</u>	<u>Factor (¢/kWh)</u>
RS, RST	(0.372)
GS, GST, TS	(0.374)
GSD, GSdT	(0.376)

GSLD, GSLDT, SBF (0.373)

IS1, IST1, SBI1, SBIT1,
IS3, IST3, SBI3 (0.368)

SL, OL (0.384)

Average Factor (0.373)

(Witness: Bryant)

ISSUE 8: What should be the effective date of the environmental cost recovery factors for billing purposes?

Tampa Electric's Position: The factors should be effective beginning with the specified environmental cost recovery cycle and thereafter for the period January 2006 through December 2006. Billing cycles may start before January 1, 2006, and the last cycle may be read after December 31, 2006, so that each customer is billed for 12 months regardless of when the adjustment factor became effective. (Witness: Bryant)

DATED this 10th day of October 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing Preliminary List of Issues and Positions filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company has been furnished by hand delivery (*) or U. S. Mail on this 10th day of October 2005 to the following:

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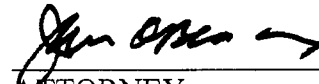
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