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November 29, 2005

Billy E. Brown
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Re: Docket No. 041408-EU - Joint petition of Tampa Electric Company and Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc. for expedited interim approval of customer transfers pending consideration of joint application for permanent relocation of territorial boundaries.

Dear Mr. Brown:

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc. provide responses to the following data requests:

1. The petition does not address reliability effects, if any, associated with the proposed changes associated with electric retail service area changes identified as Area Nos. 1 and 3.
 - a) If the reliability effect to current and future customers has been quantified, please provide the data. If the reliability effect to current and future customers has not been quantified, please explain why.
 - b) What assurance can the utilities provide that would indicate reliability of retail electric service to the affected customers will not be adversely impacted by the proposed changes?

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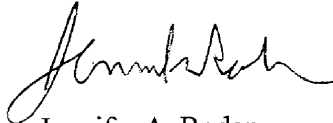
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Please provide responses by December 27, 2005. This data request is being sent to both Tampa Electric Company and Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc; however, a joint response is sufficient. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (850) 413-6189.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jennifer A. Rodan".

Jennifer A. Rodan
Attorney

cc: Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
Division of Economic Regulation (Bremen)