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FPSC-COMMISSION CLERK

May 4, 2007



Ms. Ann Cole, Director Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re:

Docket No. 070193-EI; Petition for Determination of Need for Willow-Oak

Davis 230 kV transmission line by Tampa Electric Company

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed herewith for filing on behalf of Tampa Electric Company are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa Electric's Notice of Filing Notices of Final Hearing Published in Newspapers in Areas Where Proposed Line Could be Placed and Affidavits of Publication.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the same to me. Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Tampa Electric Company) Docket No. 070193-EI ORIGINAL For Determination of Need for Willow Oak-) Dated: May 4, 2007 Davis 230 kV Transmission Line

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S NOTICE OF FILING NOTICES OF FINAL HEARING PUBLISHED IN NEWSPAPERS IN AREAS WHERE PROPOSED LINE COULD BE PLACED AND AFFIDAVITS OF PUBLICATION

Petitioner Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or the "company"), by and through its undersigned counsel pursuant to Rule 25-22.075(4), Florida Administrative Code, hereby submits the Notices of Final Hearing published in the following newspapers of general circulation where Tampa Electric's proposed Willow Oak-Davis 230 kV transmission line could be placed:

- 1. The Tampa Tribune – published on April 21, 2007;
- 2. The Winter Haven News Chief - published on April 21, 2007;
- 3. The Centro Mi Diario - published on April 20, 2007; and
- 4. The Lakeland Ledger – published on April 21, 2007.

The above-referenced Notices of Final Hearing and the Affidavits of Publication of such Notices are filed herewith as Composite Exhibit "A" to this Notice of Filing.

Respectfully submitted this 4th day of May, 2007.

LEE L. WILLIS JAMES D. BEASLEY Ausley & McMullen Post Office Box 391 Tallahassee, Florida, 32302

(850) 425*-3*487

By:

DOCUMENT NO

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing was furnished by Hand Delivery to

the following this 4th day of May, 2007:

Martha Carter-Brown, Esq. Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Bv:

Lee/L. Willis

EXHIBIT 'A'

PROOF OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

THE TAMPA TRIBUNE Published Daily Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida

State of Florida } County of Hillsborough } ss.			
Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Jennifer Elghali who on oath says that she is the Supervisor in the Billing Department of The Tampa Tribune, a daily newspaper published at Tampa in Hillsborough County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement being a			
Legal Notice Ad #2103488			
In the matter of Notice of Need Determination Hearing	Ş		
Was published in said newspaper in the issue of Tampa Tribune April 21, 2007			
Affiant further says that the said The Tampa Tribune is a newspaper published at Tampa in said Hillsborough County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Hillsborough County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Tampa, in said Hillsborough County, Florida for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that she has neither paid nor promised any person, this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.			
Thou !			
Signature of Affiant			
Sworn to and subscribed by me, this 23 day of April A.D. 2007			
Personally Known or Produced Identification			
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Ana Maria Hodel Commission #DD551367 Expires: MAY 11, 2010 WWW.AARONNOTARY.com	historygoug		

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF NEED DETERMINATION HEARING DOCKET NO. 070193-EI

THE NEED FOR A PROPOSED 230-KV ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION LINE

Notice is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission will hold a public hearing in the above docket at the following time and place:

June 11, 2007, Beginning at 9:30 a.m.
Florida Public Service Commission
Easley Conference Center
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

The purpose of this hearing will be for a determination of need pursuant to Section 403.537, Florida Statutes (2005), for the construction of a S30-kV electrical transmission line. Segments of this 230-kV electrical transmission line will start at Tampa Electric's planned Willow Oak substation in Polk County, continuing to the Wheeler Road substation in Hillsborough County and will terminate at Tampa Electric's planned Davis substation in Hillsborough County. The proceeding will be governed by the provisions of Chapter 120, Elorida Statutes, Section 403.537, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-22.075 and 25-22.076, Florida Administrative Code. Anyone Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-22.075 and 25-22.076, Florida Administrative Code. Anyone wishing to the need determination proceeding should file an appropriate petition pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, with the Director, Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Division, at the following address: Florida Administrative Code, with the Director, Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Division, at the following address:

Director, Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Division
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850
Re: Docket No. 070193-El

PREHEARING CONFERENCE

A prehearing conference will be conducted at the following time and place:

May 31, 2007, Beginning at 9:30 a.m. Florida Public Service Commission

Florida Public Service Commission Easley Conference Center 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

The purpose of this prehearing conference will be to consider: (1) the simplification of the issues; (2) the identification of witnesses and exhibits; (4) the establishment of an order of witnesses; (5) the possibility of obtaining stipulations concerning any matters at issue; and (6) the resolution of any remaining procedural matters that may aid in the disposition of the action.

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A copy of the Petition for Determination of Need and supporting exhibits will be available for public inspection beginning on or about April 27, 2007 at the Florida Public Service Commission Web site: www.floridapsc.com by selecting Dockets and then search by Docket No. 070193-EI. These documents may also be reviewed during normal business hours at the following location:

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Easley Conference Center
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

UNISPICTION

Jurisdiction over Tampa Electric and this action is vested in the Commission pursuant to Chapter 386, Florida Statutes and Section 403.537, Florida Statutes.

By Direction of the Florida Public Service Commission Ann Cole, Director Commission Clerk and Administrative Service



AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

News Chief

Published Daily

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF POLK

Before the undersigned personally appeared Colleen M. McGee who on oath says that she is the Classified Legal **Assistant** of the News Chief, a newspaper published at Winter Haven, in Polk County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice of Need Determination Hearing, Docket No. 070193-El in the matter of Tampa Electric published in said newspaper in the issues of April 21st, 2007.

Affiant further says that the News Chief is a newspaper published at Winter Haven, in said Polk County, Florida, and that said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Polk County, Florida, daily, and has been entered as second class matter at the post office in Winter Haven, in said Polk County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission, or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in said newspaper.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of April, A.D. 2007 by Colleen M. McGee who is personally known to me or) as identification.

LINDA BRICKNER

MY COMMISSION # DD 196889 EXPIRES: June 14, 2007 Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwrite

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РИВРОЅЕ АИВ РЯОСЕВИЯЕ

The purpose of this hearing will be for a determination of need pursuant to Section 403.537, Florida Statutes (2005), for the construction of a 230-kV electrical transmission line. Segments of this 230-kV electrical transmission line may be located in Polk and Hillsborough Counties. The proposed electrical transmission line will start at Tampa Electric's planned Willow Oak substation in Polk County, continuing to the Wheeler Road substation in Hillsborough County The proceeding will be governed by the provisions of Chapter 120, Electric's planned Davis substation in Hillsborough County. The proceeding will be governed by the provisions of Chapter 120, Elorida Statutes, Section 403.537, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-22.075 and 25-22.076, Florida Administrative Code. Anyone wishing to become a party to the need determination proceeding should file an appropriate petition pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, with the Director, Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Division, at the following address:

Director, Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Division
Florida Public Service Commission
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Re: Docket No. 070193-EI

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APPLICATION

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By Direction of the Florida Public Service Commission Ann Cole, Director Commission Clerk and Administrative Service



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Before the undersigned authority personally a that she is the Supervisor in the Billing Depar newspaper published at Tampa in Hillsboroug advertisement being a	tment of The Tampa Tribune, a daily	
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PETICIÓN DE TAMPA ELECTRIC PARA DETERMINAR LA NECESIDAD DE UNA LÍNEA SUGERIDA DE TRANSMISIÓN ELÉCTRICA DE 230-KV

Por este medio se da aviso que la Comisión de Servicio Público de la Florida tendrá una audiencia pública sobre la agenda arriba mencionada en el siguiente lugar y hora:

11 de junio, 2007, comenzando a las 9:30 a.m.

Florida Public Service Commission Easley Conference Center 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

PROPÓSITO Y PROCEDIMIENTO

El propósito de esta audiencia será para una resolución necesaria de acuerdo a la Sección 403.537, de los Estatutos de la Florida (2005), para la construcción de una línea de transmisión eléctrica de 230-kV. Las secciones de esta línea de transmisión eléctrica de 230-kV podrían ser ubicadas en los Condados de Polk y Hillsborough. La línea sugerida de transmisión eléctrica comenzará en la subestación Willow Oak programada por Tampa Electric en el Condado de Polk, continuando para la subestación Wheeler Road programada en el condado de Hillsborough y terminará en la subestación Davis programada por Tampa Electric en el Condado de Hillsborough. El procedimiento será determinado por las estipulaciones del Capítulo 120 de los Estatutos de la Florida, en la Sección 403.537, de los Estatutos de la Florida y Reglas 25-22.075-25-22.076 del Código Administrativo de la Florida. Si alguien desea ser parte del procedimiento para la resolución necesaria debería archivar una petición apropiada de acuerdo a la Regla 25-22.039, del Código Administrativo de la Florida, con el Director, Secretario de la Comisión y la División de Servicios Administrativos en las siguientes direcciones:

Director, Commission Clerk and Adminsitrative Services Division
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850
Re: Docket No. 070193-El

CONFERENCIA PREVIA A LA AUDIENCIA

Una conferencia previa a la audiencia será dirigida en la siguiente dirección y hora:

31 de mayo, 2007, comenzando a las 9:30 a.m.

Florida Public Service Commission Easley Conference Center 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

El propósito de está conferencia de audiencia previa será para considerar: (1) la simplificación de los puntos en cuestión; (2) la identificación de las posiciones de las partes sobre estos puntos; (3) la identificación de los testigos y los documentos; (4) el establecimiento de un orden de testigos; (5) la posibilidad de obtener estipulaciones concernientes a cualquier punto en cuestión y (6) la resolución de cualquier procedimiento restante que pueda ayudar en la disposición de la acción.

APLICACIÓN

Una copia de la Petición de la resolución necesaria y el soporte de los documentos estará disponible para la inspección del público comenzando el o cerca del 27 de abril, 2007 en la página de Internet de la Comisión de Servicio Público de la Florida: www. floridapsc.com seleccionando Dockets y luego haciendo una búsqueda por el Docket No. 070193-El. Estos documentos podrían también ser revisados durante horas de trabajo normales en la siguiente localidad:

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Easley Conference Center 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

JURISDICCIÓN

La jurisdicción sobre Tampa Electric y esta acción está establecida en la Comisión de acuerdo al Capítulo 386 de los Estatutos de la Florida y la Sección 403.537 de los Estatutos de la Florida

Por la Dirección de la Comisión de Servicio Público de la Florida Ann Cole, Directora Secretaria de la Comisión y Servicios Administrativos



AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

THE LEDGER

Lakeland, Polk County, Florida

Case No's

STATE OF FLORIDA) COUNTY OF POLK)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Paula Freeman, who on oath says that she is Inside Classified Sales Manager The Ledger, a daily newspaper published at Lakeland in Polk County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being A

Petition

in the matter of Determining the need for Electrical Transmission Line

Concerning Proposed 230-kv for Tampa Electric

was published in said newspaper in the issues of 4-21; 2007

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Notary Public

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PATRICIA ANN ROUSE
MY COMMISSION # DD 330015
EXPIRES: October 17, 2008
Bondad Thru Notary Public Underwriters

My Commission Expires..

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF NEED DETERMINATION HEARING DOCKET NO. 070193-EI

PETITION OF TAMPA ELECTRIC TO DETERMINE THE NEED FOR A PROPOSED 230-kV ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION LINE

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