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Re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause with Generating Performance Incentive Factor; FPSC Docket No. 080001-EI

Dear Ms. Cole:

This letter will serve as Tampa Electric's responses to the 11 data requests the company received from the Commission's Staff on Monday, August 18, 2008. We preface these responses with the caveat that Staff's data requests erroneously characterize FPL's proposed hedging order guidelines as Tampa Electric's proposed guidelines. While Tampa Electric reviewed the clarification guidelines and is in general agreement that they would provide beneficial clarification and regulatory certainty, the guidelines in question are the subject of a petition filed by FPL as opposed to Tampa Electric.

With the foregoing clarification, Tampa Electric reiterates its agreement with and support of FPL's proposed guidelines. Tampa Electric has reviewed FPL's responses to the same 11 data requests Staff submitted to Tampa Electric. With respect to the FPL specific portions of FPL's responses, Tampa Electric expresses no opinion, given the fact that they are FPL specific, but

COM _____ believes the guidelines are flexible enough to accommodate different approaches by the other
ECR _____ investor-owned electric utilities. With respect to the non-FPL specific portions of FPL's
GCL 2 responses, Tampa Electric is in general agreement with the answers provided by FPL and,
OPC _____ therefore, incorporates them herein by reference as Tampa Electric's responses.

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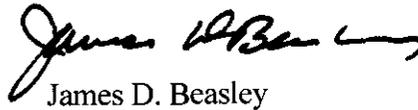
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Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

Sincerely,



James D. Beasley

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cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Lester, McNulty)
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