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Ms. Ann Cole, Director  
Office of Commission Clerk  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Petition for Rate Increase by Tampa Electric Company  
FPSC Docket No. 080317-EI

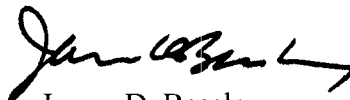
Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa Electric Company's Request for Confidential Classification and Motion for Temporary Protective Order regarding answers to Staff's First Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 1-32).

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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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for Rate Increase )  
by Tampa Electric Company. )  
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DOCKET NO. 080317-EI

FILED: October 20, 2008

**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S  
REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION  
AND MOTION FOR TEMPORARY PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company"), pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby request confidential classification of the yellow highlighted information contained in the following described document(s) ("the Document(s)") stamped "CONFIDENTIAL" and all information that is or may be printed on yellow paper stock stamped "CONFIDENTIAL" within the Document(s), all of said confidential information being hereinafter referred to as "Confidential Information."

**Description of the Document(s)**

Certain information contained in Tampa Electric Company's response to Staff's First Request for Production of Documents (No. 15) at Bates stamp page 9572. In support of this request, the company states.

1. Subsection 366.093(1), Florida Statutes, provides that any records "found by the Commission to be propriety confidential business information shall be kept confidential and shall be exempt from s. 119.07(1), Florida Statutes [requiring disclosure under the Public Records Act]." Proprietary confidential business information includes, but is not limited to "[i]nformation concerning . . . employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities." Subsection 366.093(3)(f), Florida Statutes. The

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Confidential Information that is the subject of this request and motion falls within the statutory categories and, thus, constitutes proprietary confidential business information entitled to protection under Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code.

2. Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is a justification for confidential treatment of the Confidential Information contained in the Document(s).

3. Attached hereto as Exhibit "B" are two public versions of the Document(s) with the Confidential Information redacted, unless previously filed as indicated.

4. The Confidential Information contained in the Document(s) is intended to be and is treated by Tampa Electric as private and has not been publicly disclosed.

5. For the same reasons set forth herein in support of its request for confidential classification, Tampa Electric also moves the Commission for entry of a temporary protective order pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(6)(c), Florida Administrative Code, protecting the Confidential Information from public disclosure.

**Requested Duration of Confidential Classification**


6. Tampa Electric requests that the Confidential Information be treated by the Commission as confidential proprietary business information for at least the 18 month period prescribed in Rule 25-22.006(9)(a), Florida Administrative Code. If, and to the extent that the company is in need of confidential classification of the Confidential Information beyond the 18 month period set forth in the Commission rule, the justification and grounds for such extended confidential treatment are set forth in Exhibit "C" to this request and motion.

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric Company respectfully requests that the Confidential Information that is the subject of this request and motion be accorded confidential classification for the reasons set forth herein and for a minimum period of 18 months, subject to any request

for a longer period of confidential classification as may be set forth in Exhibit "C" to this request and motion. The company further moves for the entry of a temporary protective order pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(6)(c), Florida Administrative Code, protecting the Confidential Information from public disclosure.

DATED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Request for Confidential Classification and Motion for Temporary Protective Order, filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been served by hand delivery (\*) or U. S. Mail on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008 to the following:

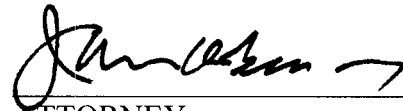
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**JUSTIFICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT OF HIGHLIGHTED  
PORTIONS OF TAMPA ELECTRIC'S RESPONSES TO  
STAFF'S FIRST PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS NOS. 1-32**

<b><u>POD Request No.</u></b>	<b><u>Bates Page Nos.</u></b>	<b><u>Detailed Description</u></b>	<b><u>Rationale</u></b>
15	9572	All highlighted information	(1)

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(1) The Confidential Information contained in the Document(s) is intended to be and is treated by Tampa Electric as private and has not been publicly disclosed. The document includes confidential proprietary business information of a forward-looking nature, the public disclosure of which could harm the interests of the company, its Parent and affiliates and/or trigger disclosure requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission. As such, the information in question is entitled to confidential treatment pursuant to Section 366.093 (3) (f), Florida Statutes.

**PUBLIC VERSION(S) OF THE DOCUMENT(S)**

Attached hereto (unless previously filed as may be noted below) are two public versions of the Document(s) with the Confidential Information redacted.

Public Version(s) of the Document(s) attached

Public Version(s) of the Document(s) previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

## **REQUESTED DURATION OF CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

Tampa Electric requests that the Confidential Information that is the subject of this request be treated as proprietary confidential business information exempt from the Public Records Law for a minimum of 18 months from the date of the order granting such classification. To the extent the company needs confidential protection of the Confidential Information for a period longer than 18 months, the company's justification therefore is set forth below:

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**Public Service Commission**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

DATE: October 20, 2008

TO: James D. Beasley, Ausley Law Firm

FROM: Ruth Nettles, Office of Commission Clerk

RE: Acknowledgement of Receipt of Confidential Filing

This will acknowledge receipt of a **CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT** filed in Docket Number 080317 or, if filed in an undocketed matter, concerning response to staff's 1<sup>st</sup> request for PODs, No. 15, and filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company. The document will be maintained in locked storage.

If you have any questions regarding this document, please contact Marguerite Lockard, Deputy Clerk, at (850) 413-6770.

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