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

Re: UNDOCKETED; Rule 25-6.018 -- Records of Interruptions and Commission Notification of Threats to Bulk Power Supply Integrity or Major Interruptions of Service

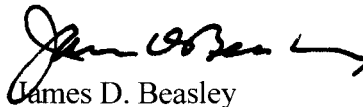
Dear Ms. Cole:

Pursuant to Rule 25-6.018, Florida Administrative Code, we enclose for filing with the Commission the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa Electric Company's Interruptible Customer filing and Report on Optional Provision for the quarter ending December 31, 2008.

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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**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY
REPORT ON OPTIONAL PROVISION FOR
QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008**

Number of Times Optional Provision was applied:

Purchased From	Date	Hour Ending	MWH Purchased	dollars/MWH
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THERE WERE NO 3RD PARTY PURCHASES FOR QUARTER 4 2008.