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Ms. Ann Cole, Director
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Re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause with Generating
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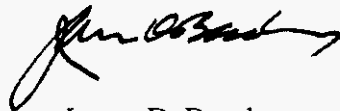
Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa Electric Company's Request for Confidential Classification of certain highlighted information contained in the Prepared Direct Testimony of Joann T. Wehle.

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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Enclosure

cc: All Parties of Record (w/enc.)

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery)
Clause with Generating Performance Incentive)
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DOCKET NO. 100001-EI
FILED: April 1, 2010

**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company"), pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby requests confidential classification of certain highlighted information contained in the Prepared Direct Testimony of Joann T. Wehle filed in this proceeding on April 1, 2010 (the "Confidential Information"). Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is a justification for designating the Confidential Information proprietary confidential business information under the above-referenced statute and rule.

1. Subsection 366.093(1), Florida Statutes, provides that any records "found by the Commission to be proprietary confidential business information shall be kept confidential and shall be exempt from s.119.07(1) [requiring disclosure under the Public Records Act]." The proprietary confidential business information includes, but is not limited to:

(d) Information concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the public utility or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms. (Section 366.093(3)(d), Florida Statutes)

2. Proprietary confidential business information also includes:

(e) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. (Section 366.093(3)(e), Florida Statutes)

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3. The Confidential Information falls within the above statutory categories and, thus, constitutes proprietary confidential business information entitled to protection under Section 366.093 and Rule 25-22.006.


4. The material for which confidential classification is sought is intended to be and is treated by Tampa Electric as private and has not been disclosed.

5. The request for confidential classification is intended to serve as Tampa Electric's motion for a protective order pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(6), Florida Administrative Code.

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric respectfully requests that the highlighted portions of the Confidential Information contained in the Prepared Direct Testimony of Joann T. Wehle be accorded confidential classification for the reasons set forth above.

DATED this 15th day of April 2010.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing Request for Confidential Classification, filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been furnished by U. S. Mail or hand delivery (*) on this 3rd day of April 2010 to the following:

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**JUSTIFICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT OF
HIGHLIGHTED PORTIONS OF TAMPA ELECTRIC'S
WITNESS JOANN T. WEHLE (FILED APRIL 1, 2010)**

<u>Bates Page No.</u>	<u>Detailed Description</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
5	The Highlighted Information	(1)

- (1) Public disclosure of the highlighted information would adversely affect the competitive interests of Tampa Electric and its ability to contract for goods and services on favorable terms. The disclosure of this information would therefore be harmful to competitive interests, and as such, the information is entitled to confidential treatment pursuant to Section 366.093(3)(e), Florida Statutes.

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DATE: April 1, 2010

TO: James 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 100001 or, if filed in an undocketed matter, concerning highlighted information contained in prepared direct testimony of Joann T. Wehle, 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 Kim Peña, Records Management Assistant, at (850) 413-6393.

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