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January 17, 2012

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

> Re: Petition for approval of new environmental program for cost recovery through Environmental Cost Recovery Clause by Tampa Electric Company; FPSC Docket No. 110262-EI

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and one copy of Tampa Electric Company's Notice of Service of Answers to First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-7) of the Florida Public Service Commission Staff, propounded and served by electronic and U. S. Mail on December 16, 2011.

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,

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James D. Beasley

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for approval of new) environmental program for cost recovery.) through Environmental Cost Recovery Clause) by Tampa Electric Company.)

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TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S NOTICE OF SERVICE OF ANSWERS TO FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 1-7) OF THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STAFF

Tampa Electric Company has this date furnished by hand delivery to Mr. Charles W. Murphy, Senior Attorney, Office of General Counsel, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, its Answers to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-7), propounded and served by electronic and U. S. Mail on December 16, 2011.

day of January 2012. DATED this **/ 7**

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Service of Answers to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories, filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been furnished by U.S. Mail or hand delivery (*) on this 12^{12} day of January 2012 to the following:

Mr. Charles W. Murphy* Senior Attorney Florida Public Service Commission Room 390R – Gerald L. Gunter Building 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

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