

BEFORE THE  
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

DOCKET NO. 130019-EI

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF REVISED  
LIGHTING TARIFFS BY TAMPA ELECTRIC  
COMPANY.

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ITEM NO. 10

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PARTICIPATING: CHAIRMAN RONALD A. BRISÉ  
COMMISSIONER LISA POLAK EDGAR  
COMMISSIONER ART GRAHAM  
COMMISSIONER EDUARDO E. BALBIS  
COMMISSIONER JULIE I. BROWN

DATE: Tuesday, March 5, 2013

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2                   **CHAIRMAN BRISÉ:** Moving on to Item Number  
3 10.

4                   **MS. DRAPER:** Good morning, Commissioners.  
5 Elizabeth Draper with Commission Staff.

6                   Item 10 is Tampa Electric Company's  
7 request for approval of a new tariff for LED  
8 lighting of streets and parking areas. Staff has  
9 reviewed the cost information and it shows that the  
10 charges in the proposed tariff are reasonable and  
11 appropriate.

12                   Staff recommends approval of the tariff.  
13 Staff has also requested and received approval to  
14 make an oral modification, which is to replace  
15 Attachment A to the recommendation with a corrected  
16 tariff sheet. The corrected tariff sheet has been  
17 provided to all the offices and has been placed in  
18 the docket file.

19                   TECO and staff are here to answer any  
20 questions you may have.

21                   **CHAIRMAN BRISÉ:** Commissioner Balbis.

22                   **COMMISSIONER BALBIS:** Thank you, Mr.  
23 Chairman. I pulled this item, as well. And it  
24 really goes back to when I was at the City of West  
25 Palm Beach we looked at switching over high pressure

1 sodium lights to LED light fixtures. And I was  
2 surprised at the time that Florida Power and Light  
3 did not offer an LED tariff. And then I believe it  
4 was January of 2011, Progress Energy moved forward  
5 with an LED tariff, and I made some comments at that  
6 time, you know, thanking Progress for doing so and  
7 making LED lights available for customers so they  
8 can realize the energy savings that technology  
9 provides. So I want to thank TECO for moving  
10 forward in a similar fashion.

11 And the question I have for staff, of the  
12 investor-owned utilities that we do fully regulate,  
13 how many of them do offer an LED tariff?

14 **MS. DRAPER:** In addition to Progress, Gulf  
15 Power also offers an LED tariff. And I contacted  
16 FPL, and they are still in the process of evaluating  
17 and doing a pilot study on LED tariffs, and may be  
18 forthcoming with a tariff, too.

19 **COMMISSIONER BALBIS:** Okay.

20 Thank you. Again, I'm surprised. I'm  
21 glad to hear that, perhaps, all of the utilities are  
22 going to move forward with this tariff again so that  
23 customers can realize these savings.

24 I want to thank TECO for doing so, and  
25 with that I move staff's recommendation.

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**CHAIRMAN BRISÉ:** Okay. It has been moved.

Is there a second?

**COMMISSIONER GRAHAM:** Second.

**CHAIRMAN BRISÉ:** Okay. It has been moved  
and seconded.

Any further comments or questions?

Seeing none, all in favor say aye.

(Vote taken.)

**CHAIRMAN BRISÉ:** Okay. Thank you.

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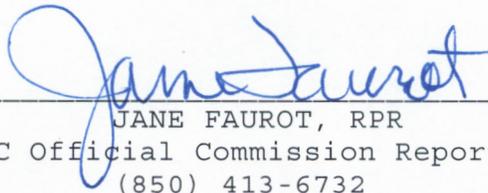
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DATED THIS 11th day of March, 2013.

  
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