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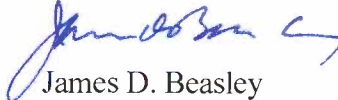
Dear Ms. Stauffer:

Re: Petition for expedited approval of temporary territorial variance, by Tampa Electric Company; FPSC Docket No. 20170181-EI

Attached is a report called for in the Tampa Electric Company/Mosaic Fertilizer, LLC Temporary Territorial Variance Agreement. This is simply an update on the status of this agreement and we are requesting no Commission action in response to this filing.

Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

Sincerely,



James D. Beasley

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Attachment

cc: Paula K. Brown (w/enc.)

**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
STATUS REPORT ON TEMPORARY SERVICE**

Tampa Electric Company reports as follows regarding the status of its provision of temporary retail electric service to a mining facility located in the service area of a neighboring utility:

1. On October 9, 2017, the Commission entered its Order No. PSC-2017-0385-PAA-EI ("Order No. 2017-0385") in Docket No. 20170181-EI, approving Tampa Electric's request for temporary territorial variance, to enable Tampa Electric to provide retail electric service on a temporary basis to Mosaic Fertilizer, LLC (Mosaic) Peacock mining facility outside Tampa Electric's approved service territory.

2. As stated in Order No. 2017-0385, Tampa Electric's retail electric service to the Mosaic facility will be temporary, with Mosaic having indicated to Tampa Electric that such service will be needed for approximately six months to a year.

3. At this time Tampa Electric continues to provide temporary retail electric service to Mosaic's mining facility, as contemplated and authorized in Order No. 2017-0385.

4. Tampa Electric will continue providing status reports regarding its temporary provision of retail electric service to the Mosaic facility on an annual basis through the duration of this service.

5. This status report requires no action by the Commission, as Docket No. 2017-0385-EI was closed consistent with the Consummating Order in that docket, Order No. PSC-2017-0421-CO-EI, issued November 6, 2017.

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric submits this its annual status report regarding its continuing provision of temporary retail electric service to Mosaic's Peacock mining facility.

DATED this 15th day of October 2018.

Respectfully submitted,



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