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VIA: ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. Adam J. Teitzman
Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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Re: Docket 20210034-EI, Petition for Rate Increase by Tampa Electric Company

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Attached for filing in the above docket is Tampa Electric Company's Response to Staff's Third Data Request (No. 1), propounded on August 20, 2021.

Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

Sincerely,



Malcolm N. Means

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Attachment

cc: All parties of record

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Tampa Electric Company's responses to Staff's Third Data Request (No. 1), have been furnished by electronic mail on this 27th day of August 2021 to the following:

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1. Please refer to paragraph 2(v) on page 8 of the proposed settlement. Please describe or list the source that will be used to determine the 30-year U. S. Treasury Bond yield rate for purposes of initiating the return on equity trigger mechanism.
 - A. The company plans to use the Daily Treasury Yield Curve Rates found at <https://www.treasury.gov>.