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DATE:

July 22, 2024

TO:

Daniel Dose, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

FROM:

David Sumner, Public Utility Analyst II, Office of Industry Development and

Market Analysis

RE:

CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION

DOCKET NO: 20240010-EI

DOCUMENT NO: 02787-2024

DESCRIPTION: TECO (Means) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Highlighted portions of

responses to OPC's 1st request for PODs (Nos. 1-2).

SOURCE: Tampa Electric Company

Pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes (F.S.), and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Tampa Electric Company (TECO) requests Confidential Classification and Motion for Protective Order of certain information contained in the Company's Response to OPC's First Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 1-2), served on April 5, 2024. TECO requests confidentiality under Section 366.093(3)(d), F.S.: "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."

The information for which TECO seeks confidentiality can be described as engineering consulting contract pricing for Storm Protection Plan development. Staff has reviewed the information that TECO has filed, as well as its confidentiality request, and believes the information that is the subject of the request meets the criteria for confidentiality under the sections requested.

cc: Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 20240010-EI)

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TO: Office Of Industry Development And Market Analysis, Office of Primary Responsibility

FROM: OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK

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The material appears <u>not</u> to be confidential in nature.

The above confidential material was filed along with a request for confidential classification and request for temporary protective order. Please complete the following form by checking all applicable information and forward it to the attorney assigned to the docket, along with a brief memorandum supporting your recommendation.

| <u>X</u> | The document(s) is (are), in fact, what the utility asserts it (them) to be. |
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| <u>X</u> | The utility has provided enough details to perform a reasoned analysis of its request. |
| X | The material has been received incident to an inquiry. |
| X | The material is confidential business information because it includes: |
| | (a) Trade secrets; |
| | (b) Internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors; |
| | (c) Security measures, systems, or procedures; |
| | X (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; |
| | (e) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impain the competitive business of the provider of information; |
| | (f) Employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities; |
| <u>X</u> | The material appears to be confidential in nature and harm to the company or its ratepayers will result from public disclosure. |

This response was prepared by <u>David Sumner</u> on <u>5/16/24</u>, a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel.

The material is a periodic or recurring filing and each filing contains confidential information.