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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting  
Florida Public Service Commission  
101 East Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Environmental Cost Recovery Clause  
FPSC Docket No. 980007-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa Electric Company's Statement of Issues and Positions.

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,

  
James D. Beasley

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Environmental Cost )  
Recovery Clause. )  
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DOCKET NO. 980007-EI  
FILED: July 17, 1998

**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S  
STATEMENT OF ISSUES AND POSITIONS**

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company") hereby submits its Statement of the Issues and Positions to be taken up at hearing scheduled to commence on August 26, 1998 in the above docket.

**Issue No. 1:** What is the appropriate final environmental cost recovery true-up amount for the period ending March 31, 1998?

**Tampa Electric's Position:** \$351,717 overrecovery.

(Witness: Zwolak)

**Issue No. 2:** What is the estimated environmental cost recovery true-up amount for the period April 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998?

**Tampa Electric's Position:** \$80,017 underrecovery for the period April 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998. However, if the currently approved rates were extended through December 31, 1998, the estimated environmental cost recovery true-up amount for the period April 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 would be an underrecovery of \$143,228.

(Witness: Zwolak)

**Issue No. 3:** What is the end of period total environmental cost recovery net true-up amount as of September 30, 1998?

**Tampa Electric's Position:** \$271,700 overrecovery through

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September 30, 1998. However, if the currently approved rates were extended through December 31, 1998, the end of period total environmental cost recovery net true-up amount as of December 31, 1998 would be an overrecovery of \$208,489.

(Witness: Zwolak)

Issue No. 4: What is the appropriate projected environmental cost recovery amount for the period October 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998?

Tampa Electric's Position: \$1,152,326. (Witness: Zwolak)

Issue No. 5: What should be the effective date of the new environmental cost recovery factors for billing purposes?

Tampa Electric's Position: The factor should be effective beginning with the specified environmental cost recovery cycle and thereafter for the period October 1998 through December 1998. Billing cycles may start before October 1, 1998, and the last cycle may be read after December 31, 1998, so that each customer is billed for three months regardless of when the adjustment factor became effective. (Witness: Zwolak)

Issue No. 6: What are the appropriate Environmental Cost Recovery Factors for the period October 1998 through December 1998 for each rate group?

Tampa Electric's Position: The appropriate factors are the current rates approved in PSC Order No. PSC-98-0408-FOF-EI, as follows:

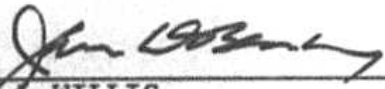
RS, RST	0.033 cents/kwh
GS, GST, TS	0.033 cents/kwh

GSD, GSDT	0.033 cents/kwh
GSLD, GSLDT, SBF, IS1 IST1, SBI1, SBIT1, IS3, IST3, SBI3, SBIT3	0.031 cents/kwh
SL, OL	0.032 cents/kwh

(Witness: Zwolak)

DATED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1998.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing State of Issues and Positions filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company has been furnished by hand delivery (\*) or U. S. Mail on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1998 to the following:

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