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January 9, 2004

HAND DELIVERED

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Review of Tampa Electric Company's waterborne transportation contract with TECO Transport and associated benchmark; FPSC Docket No. 031033-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

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Enclosed for filing in the above docket is the original and one copy of Tampa Electric Company's Notice of Service of First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-6) and First Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 1-8) to the Citizens of the State of Florida.

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,

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James D. Beasley

JDB/pp Enclosures

cc: All Parties of Record (w/enc.)

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: Review of Tampa Electric Company's Waterborne transportation contract with TECO Transport and associated benchmark.

DOCKET NO. 031033-EI FILED: January 9, 2004

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S NOTICE OF SERVICE OF FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 1-6) AND FIRST REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS (NOS. 1-8) <u>TO THE CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA</u>

Tampa Electric Company has this date served its First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-6) and First Request for Production of Documents (Nos. 1-8) to the Citizens of the State of Florida, by hand delivery to Robert D. Vandiver, Associate Public Counsel, c/o The Florida Legislature, 111 West Madison Street, Room 812, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1400, on this 2^{44} day January 2004.

DATED this ______ day of January 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTORNEYS FOR TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing Notice of Service, filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been furnished by U. S. Mail or hand delivery (*) on this _____ day

of January 2004 to the following:

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