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Ms. Ann Cole, Director
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Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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Re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause with Generating Performance
Incentive Factor; FPSC Docket No. 080001-EI

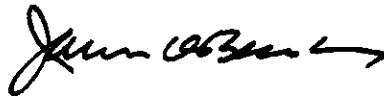
Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa
Electric Company's Motion for Extension of Time to file rebuttal testimony.

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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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery)
Clause with Generating Performance Incentive) DOCKET NO. 080001-EI
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**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company") moves the Commission for a four-day extension of time within which to file rebuttal testimony in this proceeding and, as grounds therefor, says:

1. On August 1, 2008 the Commission entered Order No. PSC-08-0488-PCO-EI ("Order No. 08-0488") extending by one week the due date for Staff's testimony and exhibits, if any, in this proceeding.

2. In order to have adequate time to prepare rebuttal testimony addressing any Staff testimony and exhibits that may be filed on October 6, 2008, Tampa Electric is in need of a four-day extension of time from the current due date for rebuttal testimony of Monday, October 13 to Friday, October 17, 2008.

3. Tampa Electric's requested extension is of shorter duration than the extension effected by Order No. 08-0488 and will not prejudice the rights of any party.

4. Tampa Electric has contacted or attempted to contact all parties to this proceeding regarding this motion and has received no objection to the requested extension from any party.

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric Company respectfully requests a four-day extension of time from October 13, 2008 to October 17, 2008 within which to file rebuttal testimony in this proceeding.


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DATED this 12th day of September 2008.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing Motion for Extension of Time, filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been furnished by U. S. Mail or hand delivery (*) on this 12th day of September 2008 to the following:

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