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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
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Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

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Re: Petition of Tampa Electric Company for Approval of Miscellaneous Tariff Revisions and Corrections.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above styled matter are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Tampa Electric Company's Petition for Approval of Miscellaneous Tariff Revisions and Corrections.

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: Petition of Tampa Electric Company)
for Approval of Miscellaneous Tariff)
Revisions and Corrections.)
_____)

DOCKET NO. _____
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**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S PETITION FOR APPROVAL
OF MISCELLANEOUS TARIFF REVISIONS AND CORRECTIONS**

Tampa Electric Company ("Tampa Electric" or "the company"), pursuant to Rule 25-9.004, Florida Administrative Code, petitions the Commission to approve certain revisions to tariff language regarding medically essential service, customer deposit requirements and miscellaneous corrections to tariff sheets as well as the associated tariff sheets and, as grounds therefor, states:

1. The name, address, telephone number and facsimile number of the petitioner are:

Tampa Electric Company
Post Office Box 111
Tampa, Florida 33602
(813) 228-4111
(813) 228-1770 (fax)

2. The name, address, telephone number and facsimile number of the attorney and qualified representative of the Petitioner are:

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Tallahassee, FL 32302
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3. Tampa Electric is a Commission regulated electric utility company providing retail electric service to customers in Hillsborough and portions of Polk, Pinellas and Pasco Counties in Florida.

4. A section has been added to the tariff regarding the provision of electric service to a medically essential service customer. The new language defines which customers qualify as medically essential customers and addresses a limited extension for time for these customers beyond the date service would normally be subject to disconnection for non-payment in accordance with the procedures set forth in Rule 25-6.105(5), Florida Administrative Code. The proposed new tariff sheets (Third Revised Sheet No. 5.160, Third Revised Sheet No. 5.161, Fifth Revised Sheet No. 5.170, First Revised Sheet No. 5.175, Sixth Revised Sheet No. 5.180 and First Revised Sheet No. 5.181) are provided in standard format in Exhibit "A" to this petition. Following each standard format tariff sheet in Exhibit "A" is a version of the tariff sheet marked in legislative format to show the specific changes that the company is proposing.

5. Tampa Electric is also proposing revisions to the language in the tariff related to customer deposits. The revisions were made to address changes to Rule 25-7.083(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code governing customer deposits. The proposed new tariff sheet (Second Revised Sheet No. 5.130) is provided in standard format as Exhibit "B" to this petition, followed by a copy of this tariff sheet marked in legislative format to show the specific changes that the company is proposing.

6. As part of an on-going effort to refine its Tariff, the company is submitting a group of tariff sheets to address miscellaneous corrections that have been found to be necessary. The corrections do not materially change the Tariff, but are limited to changes in page numbers and the updating of several "Table of Contents" pages. The proposed new tariff sheets (Tenth

EXHIBIT "A"

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- (11) Without notice in the event of unauthorized or fraudulent use of service. Whenever service is discontinued for fraudulent use of service, the company may, before restoring service, require the Customer to make at his own expense all changes in facilities or equipment necessary to eliminate illegal use and to pay an amount reasonably estimated as the loss revenue resulting from such fraudulent use.

The following shall not constitute sufficient cause for refusal or discontinuance of service to an applicant or Customer:

- (1) Delinquency in payment for service by a previous occupant of the premises unless the current applicant or Customer occupied the premises at the time the delinquency occurred and the previous customer continues to occupy the premises and such previous Customer shall benefit from such service.
- (2) Failure to pay for merchandise purchased from the company.
- (3) Failure to pay for a service rendered by the company which is non-regulated.
- (4) Failure to pay for a different type of utility service, such as gas or water.
- (5) Failure to pay for a different class of service.
- (6) Failure to pay for bill of another Customer as guarantor thereof.
- (7) Failure to pay a dishonored check service charge imposed by the company.

In case of refusal to establish service, or whenever service is intentionally discontinued by the Company for other than routine maintenance, the Company shall notify the applicant or customer in writing of the reason for such refusal or discontinuance.

If service has been discontinued for proper cause, it may be reconnected after those circumstances which required that it be discontinued are corrected. A service charge will be made in accordance with Sheet 3.030 of this Tariff except that when unusual expenses are incurred, or in cases of flagrant or continuing violations of approved Rules and Regulations, the Company, after advising the customer, may charge such additional costs as are incurred.

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ISSUED BY: **J. B. Hamill** G. F. Anderson,
President

DATE EFFECTIVE: February 1, 1999

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2.14.1 MEDICALLY ESSENTIAL SERVICE

For purposes of this section, a Medically Essential Service Customer is a residential customer whose electric service is medically essential, as affirmed through the certificate of a doctor of medicine licensed to practice in the State of Florida. Service is "medically essential" if the customer has continuously operating electric-powered medical equipment necessary to sustain the life of or avoid serious medical complications requiring immediate hospitalization of the customer or another permanent resident at the service address. If continuously operating, such equipment shall include but is not limited to the following: oxygen concentrator or a ventilator/respirator. The physician's certificate shall explain briefly and clearly, in non-medical terms, why continuance of service is medically essential. A customer who is certified as a Medically Essential Service Customer must renew such certification periodically through the procedures outlined above. The Company may require such renewed certification no more frequently than once every 12 months.

The Company shall provide Medically Essential Service Customers with a limited extension of time, not to exceed thirty (30) days, beyond the date service would normally be subject to disconnection for non-payment of bills (following the requisite notice pursuant to Rule 25-6.105(5) of the Florida Administrative Code). The Company shall provide the Medically Essential Service Customer with written notice specifying the date of disconnection based on the limited extension. The Medically Essential Service Customer shall be responsible for making mutually satisfactory arrangements to ensure payment within this additional extension of time for services provided by the Company and for which payment is past due, or to make other arrangements for meeting the medically essential needs.

No later than 12 noon one day prior to the scheduled disconnection of service of a Medically Essential Service Customer, the Company shall attempt to contact such customer by telephone in order to provide notice of the scheduled disconnect date. If the Medically Essential Customer does not have a telephone number listed on the account, or if the utility cannot reach such customer or other adult resident of the premises by telephone by the specified time, a field representative will be sent to the residence to attempt to contact the Medically Essential Service Customer, no later than 4 PM of the day prior to scheduled disconnection.

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ISSUED BY: **J. B. Ramo** K. S. Surgenor,
President

DATE EFFECTIVE: January 24, 1995

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If contact is not made, however, the Company may leave written notification at the residence advising the Medically Essential Service Customer of the scheduled disconnect date; thereafter, the Company may disconnect service on the specified date. The Company will grant special consideration to a Medically Essential Service Customer in the application of Rule 25-6.097(3) of the Florida Administrative Code.

In the event that a customer is certified as a Medically Essential Service Customer, the customer shall remain solely responsible for any backup equipment and/or power supply and a planned course of action in the event of power outages. The Company does not assume, the expressly disclaims, any obligation or duty: to monitor the health or condition of the person requiring medically essential service; to insure continuous service, to call, contact, or otherwise advise of service interruptions; or, except as expressly provided by this section, to take any other action (or refrain from any action) that differs from the normal operations of the Company.

2.15 CUSTOMER EQUIPMENT ON COMPANY POLES

The attachment of customer property to Company poles, such as meters, signs, banners, conduits, antennas, lights, etc., will not be permitted. Special facilities may be attached with specific permission from the Company or at its option.

Customers are not allowed to make any connections to, or disconnections from, Company lines. All such connections or disconnections must be made by Company personnel.

2.16 TYPE AND CHARACTER OF SERVICE

Alternating current (a. c.) at a nominal frequency of 60 hertz (c. p. s.) is considered standard.

The voltage and number of phases depend upon the character of the Customer's load, its size and location.

The standard service available to most TEC Customers is 120/240 volt three-wire single-phase service. TEC also has available the following four-wire three-phase voltages: 120/240, 120/208, and 277/480. Customers may obtain three-phase service at no cost if their forecasted load is sufficient to support the equipment installation.

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In some commercial centers and/or residential centers where service is provided from three phase padmount transformers, the nominal standard voltage is 120/208 volt or 277/480 volt 4-wire three phase wye depending on the Customer's electrical demand.

In the designated network area of downtown Tampa, the nominal standard voltage is 120/208 volt 3-wire single phase, 120/208 volt 4-wire three phase wye or 265/460 volt 4-wire three phase wye depending on the Customer's electrical demand.

Should the Customer desire service at a voltage which is not standard nor readily available for his location or electrical demand, the company may, at its option, provide such service after being compensated by the Customer for any additional cost incurred.

Under certain conditions, as set forth in Section 5, part 3.3.5 of this tariff, the Customer may receive service at the company's primary distribution voltage.

For service rendered to Customers whose principal consumption shall be for lighting and/or residential purposes, the voltage at the point of delivery shall not exceed 5% above or below the standard voltage adopted. For service rendered principally for industrial or power purposes, excluding residential purposes, the voltage at the point of delivery shall not exceed 7 1/2% above or below the standard voltage adopted. These limitations may be modified for cases in which the Customer specifically agrees to accept service not meeting the specified limits.

Sudden changes in voltage that exceed 5% of the standard voltage and occur more frequently than two times per hour, or changes of 2 1/2% that occur more frequently than once per minute shall be limited to magnitudes and frequency of occurrence compatible with the Customer's requirements. These limitations may be modified for cases in which the Customer specifically agrees to accept service not meeting the specified limits.

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Where the company's facilities are reasonably adequate and of sufficient capacity to carry the actual loads normally imposed, the company may require that the equipment on the Customer's premises shall be such that the starting and operating characteristics will not cause an instantaneous voltage drop of more than 4% of the standard voltage, measured at the point of delivery, or cause objectionable flicker to other Customer's service.

2.17 EMERGENCY RELAY POWER SUPPLY

The Company will receive applications for emergency relay power supply service from existing and/or new customers and reserves the right to approve or disapprove each application based upon need, location, feasibility, availability and size of load.

After receiving approval, the Company may require that all costs of any duplication of additional facilities required by the customer in excess of the facilities normally furnished by the Company for a single source, single transformation, electric service installation, be charged to the customer making the request.

Customers requesting relay service through a single point of delivery to a multi-serviced facility, must ensure that all new occupants of the multi-serviced facility beyond the single point of delivery are aware of the obligation to pay charges associated with relay service. All existing occupants (i.e. occupants with leases predating the request for relay service to a multi-serviced facility) may choose not to pay the relay service charge at the time service is provided but must pay the charge upon renewal of the existing lease. Any unrecovered revenues related to the relay service charge will be billed to the customer requesting relay service for the multi-serviced facility.

Exceptions may be made by the Company when public safety is involved.

III. CUSTOMER SERVICES AND WIRING

3.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CUSTOMER WIRING

As previously stated, compliance of customer owned facilities with the requirements of the National Electrical Code will provide the customer with a safe installation, but not necessarily an efficient or convenient installation.

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A neutral point of connection at the ownership line is provided by the Company for all three-phase four-wire and single-phase three-wire services. The neutral shall be extended from the ownership line to the customer's grounding system by the customer.

3.1.1 LOCATION OF SERVICE ENTRANCE WIRING

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If an installation, addition, or alteration is made in an area requiring City or County electrical wiring permits, no service will be connected or altered until approval of the installation by the City or County Electrical Inspector is received by the Company.

2.11 INSPECTIONS AND APPROVALS

It shall be the customer's responsibility to notify the Company and where applicable, the City or County Electrical Inspection Department when his wiring installation, addition, or alteration is completed and ready for electric service.

City or County inspection, when required, is all inclusive from the point of attachment throughout the customer's entire wiring system.

Company inspection is made from the point of attachment to the loadside terminals of the main switch, including service entrance grounding systems. The purpose of this inspection is to insure safe working conditions for Company personnel and to protect Company equipment from mechanical or electrical hazards. Such inspection in no way relieves the customer of the responsibility for providing a safe electrical system.

The Company cannot render new service or alter existing service characteristics until all of the required inspections have been made and approval of them has been received by the Company from the proper authorities.

Service will not be connected to any new or existing installation which is known to be unsafe.

2.12 DEPOSITS

At the Company's option, a deposit amount of up to two (2) month's average billing, or a suitable guarantee as security for payment for electric service, may be required at any time. As a suitable guarantee the applicant for service may furnish either (1) a satisfactory guarantor to secure payment of bills for the service requested, (2) an irrevocable letter of credit from a bank, or (3) a surety bond. For residential customers, a satisfactory guarantor shall, at the minimum, be a customer with a satisfactory payment record. For non-residential customers, a satisfactory guarantor need not be a customer of the utility. Each utility shall develop minimum financial criteria that a proposed guarantor must meet to qualify as a satisfactory guarantor. A copy of the criteria shall be made available to each new non-residential customer upon request by the customer.

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TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

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ISSUED BY: ~~J. B. Papp~~ K. S. Sargenor,
President

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FUEL CHARGE: Fuel charges are adjusted annually by the Florida Public Service Commission, normally in January.

ENERGY CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY CLAUSE: An energy conservation cost recovery factor shall be applied to each kilowatt-hour delivered and shall reflect increases or decreases to the nearest .001¢ per KWH to recover the conservation related expenditures of the Company. The procedure for the review, approval, recovery and recording of such costs and revenues is set forth in Commission Rule 25-17.015, F.A.C.

CAPACITY COST RECOVERY CLAUSE: In accordance with Commission Order No. 25773, Docket No. 910794-EQ, issued February 24, 1992, the capacity cost recovery factors shall be applied to each kilowatt-hour delivered.

ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY CLAUSE: In accordance with Commission Order No. PSC-96-1048-FOF-EI, Docket No. 960688-EI, issued August 14, 1996, the environmental cost recovery factors shall be applied to each kilowatt-hour delivered.

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FRANCHISE FEE ADJUSTMENT: Customers taking service within franchised areas shall pay a franchise fee adjustment in the form of a percentage to be added to their bills prior to the application of any appropriate taxes. This percentage shall reflect the Customers' pro rata share of the amount the Company is required to pay under the franchise agreement with the specific governmental body in which the customer is located, plus the appropriate gross receipts taxes and regulatory assessment fees resulting from such additional revenue.

ISSUED BY: J. B. Ramil, President

DATE EFFECTIVE:

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

~~TWENTY-FIFTH~~ REVISED SHEET NO. 6.021
~~TWENTY-FOURTH~~
CANCELS ~~TWENTY-FOURTH~~ REVISED SHEET NO. 6.021
~~TWENTY-THIRD~~

Continued from Sheet No. 6.020

FUEL CHARGE: Fuel charges are adjusted annually by the Florida Public Service Commission, normally in January.

ENERGY CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY CLAUSE: An energy conservation cost recovery factor shall be applied to each kilowatt-hour delivered and shall reflect increases or decreases to the nearest .001¢ per KWH to recover the conservation related expenditures of the Company. The procedure for the review, approval, recovery and recording of such costs and revenues is set forth in Commission Rule 25-17.015, F.A.C.

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ISSUED BY: J. B. Ramil, President

DATE EFFECTIVE: January 1, 1999

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

~~SECOND FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 6.022~~
CANCELS ~~FIRST REVISED ORIGINAL SHEET NO. 6.022~~

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PAYMENT OF BILLS: Bills for service will be rendered monthly by the Company to the customer. Payment is due when the bill is rendered, and becomes delinquent twenty (20) days after mailing or delivery to the customer. Five (5) days written notice separate from any billing will be given before discontinuing service. Payment may be made at offices or authorized collecting agencies of the Company. Care will be used to have bills properly presented to the customer, but non-receipt of the bill does not constitute release from liability for payment.

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ISSUED BY: ~~J. B. Hamill~~ K. S. Surgenor,
President

DATE EFFECTIVE: October 1, 1996

TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY

SECOND REVISED SHEET NO. 6.022
CANCELS FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 6.022

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ISSUED BY: J. B. Ramil, President

DATE EFFECTIVE:

TEMPORARY SERVICE**SCHEDULE:** TS**RATE CODE:** 050.**AVAILABLE:** Entire service area.**APPLICABLE:** Single phase temporary service.**LIMITATION OF SERVICE:** Service is limited to a maximum of 70 amperes at 240 volts. Larger services and three phase service entrances must be served under the appropriate rate schedule, plus the cost of installing and removing the temporary facilities required.**MONTHLY RATE:****Customer Facilities Charge:**

\$8.50

Energy and Demand Charge:

4.342¢ per KWH.

MINIMUM CHARGE: The customer facilities charge**FUEL CHARGE:** See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.**ENERGY CONSERVATION CHARGE:** See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.**CAPACITY CHARGE:** See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.**ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY CHARGE:** See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.**FLORIDA GROSS RECEIPTS TAX:** Sheet No. 6.021.**FRANCHISE FEE CHARGE:** See Sheet No. 6.021.**MISCELLANEOUS:** See "Temporary Service", Sheet No. 5.490 for details on this service and requirements to pay cost of installing and removing facilities.**NOTE:** An initial charge of \$115.00 shall be paid upon application to cover the cost of installing and removing the temporary service.**PAYMENT OF BILLS:** See Sheet No. 6.022.

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CAPACITY CHARGE: See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.

ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY CHARGE: See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.

FLORIDA GROSS RECEIPTS TAX: Sheet No. 6.021.

FRANCHISE FEE CHARGE: See Sheet No. 6.021.

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PAYMENT OF BILLS: See Sheet No. 6.022.

PREMIUM OUTDOOR LIGHTING SERVICE**SCHEDULE:** OL-3**RATE CODE:** 530-599**AVAILABLE:** Entire service area.

APPLICABLE: For outdoor area lighting. Overhead installations under this schedule are available only to customers who sign an agreement for a minimum period of one year. All other underground installations are available only to customers who sign an agreement for a minimum period of seven years. At the Company's option, a deposit amount of up to two (2) month's average billing may be required at anytime.

CHARACTER OF SERVICE: Service provided during the hours of darkness. Service is normally provided on a dusk to dawn basis. At the Company's option and at the customer's request, the Company may permit a timer to control a lighting system provided under this rate schedule. Cost associated with installing and maintaining the timer system would be the responsibility of the customer requesting such service. The Company will control access to and set the timer to the customer's specifications, but in no case will such service exceed 2100 hours each year.

LIMITATION OF SERVICE: Installation shall be made only when, in the judgement of the Company, location of the proposed lights are, and will continue to be, easily and economically accessible to Company equipment and personnel for both construction and maintenance.

MONTHLY RATE:**Fixture and Maintenance Charge:**

Type of Facility	Lamp Size		Fixture Charge	Maintenance Charge	Total Monthly Charge
	Initial				
	Lumens /	Watts			
Fixture Type High Pressure Sodium					
A-Post Top Classic	9,500	100	\$13.59	\$2.11	\$15.70
B-Post Top Contemporary	9,500	100	14.50	2.19	16.69
C-Post Top Colonial	9,500	100	13.12	2.31	15.43
N-Post Top Standard	9,500	100	8.15	2.06	10.21
D-Shoebox	9,500	100	9.02	1.36	9.88
L-Shoebox	28,500	250	10.37	1.45	10.47
E-Shoebox	50,000	400	10.37	1.54	11.91
K-Flat Decorative	50,000	400	23.86	1.75	25.61

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14-UG	DB Conc, 25ft or 30ft	19.44	0.06	19.50
15-UG	DB Conc, 45 ft	25.01	0.06	25.07
16-UG	Existing Pole	9.68	0.06	9.74
17-OH	Wood, 45ft	5.99	.02	6.01
18-OH	Conc, 45ft	9.03	.02	9.05

Energy Charge:

2.077¢ per kWh time the kWh per month as shown in the table below.

<u>Lumens</u>	<u>Lamp Size</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Timed Service kWh Per Month</u>	<u>Dusk to Dawn kWh Per Month</u>
9,500	100 Watts	HPS	22	44
14,000	175 Watts	MH	37	75
28,500	250 Watts	HPS	52	105
50,000	400 Watts	HPS	81	163
34,560/36,000	400 Watts	MH	79	159
105,600	1000 Watts	MH	191	383

ADDITIONAL CHARGE: Whenever pavement must be removed and replaced in order to install the underground cable, the customer will bear the additional cost and will be charged a contribution-in-aid of construction.

MINIMUM CHARGE: The monthly charge.

FUEL CHARGE: See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.

ENERGY CONSERVATION CHARGE: See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.

CAPACITY CHARGE: See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.

ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY CHARGE: See Sheet Nos. 6.020 and 6.021.

FLORIDA GROSS RECEIPTS TAX: See Sheet No. 6.021.

FRANCHISE FEE: See Sheet No. 6.021

PAYMENT OF BILLS: See Sheet No. 6.022.

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