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September 3, 2021

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Adam J. Teitzman
Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Clause with Generating
Performance Incentive Factor; FPSC Docket No. 20210001-EI

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket is Tampa Electric Company's Request for Confidential Classification and Motion for Protective Order of certain information contained in M. Ashley Sizemore's Testimony, Exhibit PAB-2), Bates page 16 (Schedule E-12).

Thank you for your assistance in connection with this matter.

Sincerely,



Malcolm N. Means

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Enclosure
cc: All Parties of Record

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Fuel and Purchased)	
Power Cost Recovery Clause)	DOCKET NO. 20210001-EI
and Generating Performance)	
Incentive Factor.)	FILED: September 3, 2021
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**TAMPA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION
AND MOTION FOR TEMPORARY PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Tampa Electric Company (“Tampa Electric” or “the company”), pursuant to Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby request confidential classification of the yellow highlighted information contained in the following described document(s) (“the Document(s)”) stamped “CONFIDENTIAL” and all information that is or may be printed on yellow paper stock stamped “CONFIDENTIAL” within the Document(s), all of said confidential information being hereinafter referred to as “Confidential Information.”

Description of the Document(s)

Schedule E12, Exhibit MAS-3 to the Direct Testimony of M. Ashley Sizemore (Bates Stamp page 16), a single copy of which is being simultaneously filed with the Commission on a confidential basis under a separate transmittal letter. Bates Stamp page 16 contains certain information (“Confidential Information”) highlighted in yellow. In support of this request, the company states:

1. Subsection 366.093(1), Florida Statutes, provides that any records “found by the Commission to be propriety confidential business information shall be kept confidential and shall be exempt from s. 119.07(1), Florida Statutes [requiring disclosure under the Public Records Act].” Proprietary confidential business information includes, but is not limited to “[i]nformation concerning . . . 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.” Subsection 366.093(3)(d), Florida Statutes. Proprietary confidential business information also includes “[i]nformation relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information.” Section 366.093(3)(e), Florida Statutes. The Confidential Information that is the subject of this request and motion falls within the statutory categories and, thus, constitutes propriety confidential business information entitled to protection under Section 366.093, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code.

2. Attached hereto as Exhibit “A” is a justification for confidential treatment of the Confidential Information contained in the Document(s).

3. Attached hereto as Exhibit “B” is a notification that public versions of the above-described document were filed with the Commission electronically on September 3, 2021.

4. The Confidential Information contained in the above-described document(s) is intended to be and is treated by Tampa Electric as private and has not been publicly disclosed.

5. For the same reasons set forth herein in support of its request for confidential classification, Tampa Electric also moves the Commission for entry of a temporary protective order pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(6)(c), Florida Administrative Code, protecting the Confidential Information from public disclosure.

Requested Duration of Confidential Classification

6. Tampa Electric requests that the Confidential Information be treated by the Commission as confidential proprietary business information for at least the 18 month period prescribed in Rule 25-22.006(9)(a), Florida Administrative Code. If, and to the extent that the company is in need of confidential classification of the Confidential Information beyond the 18

month period set forth in the Commission rule, the justification and grounds for such extended confidential treatment are set forth in Exhibit “C” to this request and motion.

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric Company respectfully requests that the Confidential Information that is the subject of this request and motion be accorded confidential classification for the reasons set forth herein and for a minimum period of 18 months, subject to any request for a longer period of confidential classification as may be set forth in Exhibit “C” to this request and motion. The company further moves for the entry of a temporary protective order pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(6)(c), Florida Administrative Code, protecting the Confidential Information from public disclosure.

DATED this 3rd day of September 2021.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Request for Confidential Classification and Motion for Temporary Protective Order has been filed on behalf of Tampa Electric Company, has been furnished by electronic mail on this 3rd day of September, 2021 to the following:

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**JUSTIFICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT OF HIGHLIGHTED
PORTIONS OF TAMPA ELECTRIC'S WITNESS
ASHLEY A. SIZEMORE'S TESTIMONY (FILED JULY 27, 2020)**

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Schedule E12 (Bates stamp page 16)	All highlighted lines	All highlighted information	(1)

- (1) The Confidential Information shows estimated purchase amounts pursuant to confidential contracts negotiated by and between Tampa Electric Company and certain energy providers. As such, the information in question is information concerning bids or other contractual data the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of Tampa Electric to contract for goods and services on favorable terms. It is also information relating to competitive interests the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of Tampa Electric. The Confidential Information falls within the above statutory categories and, thus, constitutes proprietary confidential business information entitled to protection under Section 366.093 and Rule 25-22.006.

PUBLIC VERSION(S) OF THE DOCUMENT(S)

Attached hereto (unless previously filed as may be noted below) are two public versions of the Document(s) with the Confidential Information redacted.

Public Version(s) of the Document(s) attached _____

Public Version(s) of the Document(s) in question were separately filed on September 3, 2021 electronically X

REQUESTED DURATION OF CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

Tampa Electric requests that the Confidential Information that is the subject of this request be treated as proprietary confidential business information exempt from the Public Records Law for a minimum of 18 months from the date of the order granting such classification. To the extent the company needs confidential protection of the Confidential Information for a period longer than 18 months, the company's justification therefor is set forth below:

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