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Ms. Teresa Heron  
Florida Department of Environmental Protection  
Division of Air Resource Management  
111 South Magnolia, Suite 4  
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Via Fed Ex  
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**Re: Tampa Electric Company  
Big Bend Station  
Air Construction Permit Modification Project No.: 0570039-018-AC  
Request to Withdraw Original Permit Application for the  
Transloading Project Modification**

Dear Ms. Heron:

In response to your February 17, 2006 electronic mail, Tampa Electric Company (TEC) hereby withdraws our original request in its entirety to allow the transloading of coal, petcoke and slag to off site facilities. As per your request, TEC submitted a revised permit application with updated product processing rates to the Department of Environmental Protection on February 7, 2006 and attached is the signature of the responsible official.

TEC understands that the Department will begin processing the revised air construction permit for the coal, slag, and petcoke transloading operation in a timely manner and appreciates the Department's cooperation on this project. If you have any questions, please feel free to telephone me or Shelly Castro at (813) 228-4408.

Sincerely,

Byron T. Burrows, P.E.  
Manager, Air Programs  
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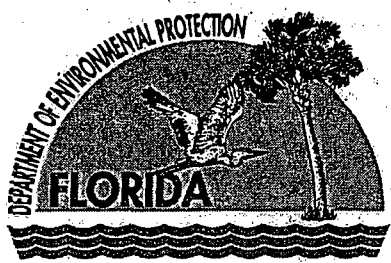
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I, the undersigned, am the responsible official as defined in Chapter 62-213, F.A.C., of the Title V source for which this document is being submitted. I hereby certify, based on the information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, that the statements made and data contained in this document are true, accurate, and complete.

Karen A. Sheffield 3/3/06  
Signature Date

Karen A. Sheffield General Manager, Big Bend Station  
Name Title

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