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September 28, 2007

Ms. Trina Vielhauer
Chief, Bureau of Air Regulation
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
111 South Magnolia Avenue, Suite 4
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Via FedEx
Airbill No. 7982 7474 5283

Re: Tampa Electric Company - Big Bend Station
Unit 4 SCR- Air Construction Permit Number 0570039-020
Request for Permit Extension

Dear Ms. Vielhauer:

As per Condition A.7 of the aforementioned air construction permit, Tampa Electric Company (TEC) requests that this permit be extended. Prior to submitting an application for a Title V permit revision to include the air construction permit conditions, TEC would prefer to include in the application the results for the ammonia slip test conducted on September 12, 2007 that are currently being processed.

TEC appreciates the cooperation and consideration of the Department in this request. Please contact me or Sharon Good at (813) 228-4654 if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

[Handwritten signature of Byron Burrows]

Byron Burrows, P.E. BCEE
Manager - Air Programs
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Enclosure

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