

STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application For Permit By
Tampa Electric Company
P. O. Box 111
Tampa, Florida 33601

D. E. R.
JUL 24 1989
SOUTHWEST DISTRICT
TAMPA

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Tampa Electric Company, by and through its undersigned counsel, and pursuant to the provisions of Rule 17-103.070, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), hereby requests that the Secretary grant it an extension of time to petition for an administrative hearing on the Department of Environmental Regulation's intent to issue a permit in DER File No. A029-163823, and as grounds therefor states:

1. Tampa Electric Company applied to the Department of Environmental Regulation for a permit to operate the Gannon Generating Station Coal Bunkers Units 1 through 6 with six rotoclones.

2. ~~Only~~ July 6, 1989, the Department of Environmental Regulation issued its intent to issue the permit and included

proposed conditions. That document was received by Tampa Electric Company on July 10, 1989.

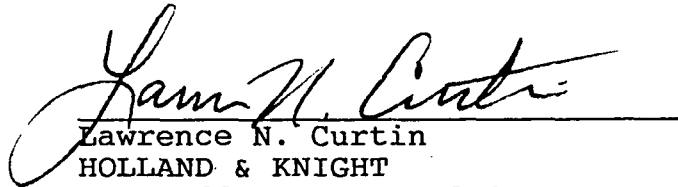
3. After review of the document it was determined that several of the proposed conditions needed clarification or modification. Tampa Electric Company representatives contacted representatives of the Department of Environmental Regulation to discuss these matters and those discussions are ongoing.

4. It appears that the issues involved with the proposed conditions of the permit can be informally resolved, but additional time is necessary to allow the Department and Tampa Electric Company's representatives to have further discussions. A 30 day extension of time to request an administrative hearing should be sufficient to accommodate these discussions.

5. Tampa Electric Company representatives have contacted Dr. Richard D. Garrity, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Southwest District, who has advised that he does not object to this request being granted.

WHEREFORE, Tampa Electric Company respectfully requests that the Secretary enter an order extending the time in which to request an administrative hearing to, and including, August 21, 1989.

Respectfully submitted,

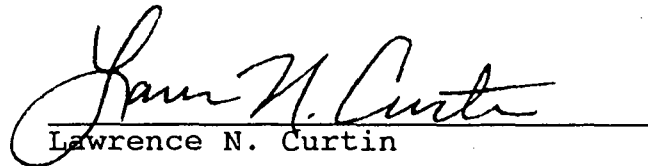


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct of the foregoing Request for Extension of Time has been served upon Richard Donelan, Esquire, 2600 Blair Stone Road, Twin Towers Office Building, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400 by Hand Delivery and to Dr. Richard Garrity, Southwest District, 4520 Oak Fair Boulevard, Tampa, Florida 33610-7347 by U.S. Mail on this 21st day of July, 1989.



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