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July 12, 2000

Mr. Clair Fancy Florida Department of Environmental Protection 111 South Magnolia Drive, Suite 4 Tallahassee, Florida 32301 Via FedEx Airbill No. 7923 5286 4097

Re: Tampa Electric Company (TEC) - Polk Power Station Title V

Permit BACT Determination for Syngas Combustion Turbine - Test #5

Dear Mr. Fancy:

As per Specific Condition A.49 of the Polk Power Station Title V Permit, Tampa Electric has completed the fifth NO_x BACT Determination Test on the combustion turbine while operating on syngas. Accordingly, the final report is attached for your review. The next test is tentatively scheduled to take place on August 15, 2000. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Shannon Todd or me at (813) 641-5125.

Sincerely,

Gregory M. Nelson, P.E.

Director

Environmental Affairs

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