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Mr. A. A. Linero, P.E.
Administrator
New Source Review Section
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
111 South Magnolia Drive, Suite 4
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Via FedEx
Airbill No. 7903 3901 4024

**Re: Tampa Electric Company (TEC) – Polk Power Station Unit 1
Title V Permit Modification Request**

Dear Mr. Linero:

Please find enclosed the above referenced request to modify the Polk Power Station Title V permit to allow for the firing of syngas produced from the gasification of fuel blends of up to 60% petcoke and 40% coal. TEC has performed formal emissions testing as requested by the Department, and the results of these tests have shown that the requested modification will not result in a significant increase of any criteria pollutant as defined in Table 212.400-2. If you have any questions, please telephone Shannon Todd or me at (813) 641-5125.

Sincerely,

Mark J. Hornick
General Manager / Responsible Official
Polk Power Station

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Enclosure

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