

# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

## THE LEDGER

### Lakeland, Polk County, Florida

Case No's:

STATE OF FLORIDA)  
COUNTY OF POLK)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Paula Freeman, who on oath says that she is Inside Classified Sales Manager, a daily newspaper published at Lakeland in Polk County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being

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#### Notice of Draft Permit

In the matter of Draft Air Permit No. 1050233-021-AC / PSD-FL-194H  
concerning Tampa Electric Company - Polk Power Station

was published in said newspaper in the issues of 6-9; 2008

Affiant further says that said The Ledger is a newspaper published at Lakeland, Is said Polk County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Polk County, Florida, daily, and has been entered as second class matter at the post office in Lakeland, in said Polk County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

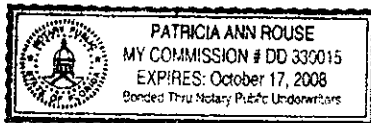
Signed.....  
Paula Freeman  
Inside Classified Sale Manager  
Who is personally known to me.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10<sup>TH</sup>

day of June A.D. 20 08

Patricia Ann Rouse  
Notary Public

(Seal)



My Commission Expires.....

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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE AIR PERMIT**  
Florida Department of Environmental Protection  
Draft Air Permit No. 1050233-021-AC / PSD-FL-194H  
Tampa Electric Company - Polk Power Station  
Polk County, Florida

**Applicant:** The applicant for this project is the Tampa Electric Company, authorized representative is Mark Herwick, General Manager - Polk Power Station, address is P.O. Box 111, Tampa, FL 33601.

**Facility Location:** The Tampa Electric Company operates Polk Power Station at 9995 State Route 37 South in Polk County Florida.

**Project:** The Polk Power Station operates an existing integrated gasification (IGFC) system consisting of a combined cycle combustion turbine, a steam, a solid fuel gasification plant, and a sulfuric acid plant. Currently, syngas in the combined cycle combustion turbine produced from coal/petroleum coke with up to 60% petroleum coke and a maximum sulfur content of 4.7% by weight. The applicant proposes to gasify petroleum coke/coal blends of coke with a maximum sulfur content of 4.7% by weight. Aside from the increased fuel blend content of 4.7% by weight, the plant must comply with permit restrictions. Emissions are not expected to increase in amount. PSD-significant emissions increases. Therefore, the project is not subject to review. Emissions will be monitored by conducting stack tests and emissions monitoring data on a regular basis to determine any changes in emissions.

**Permitting Authority:** Applications for air construction permits are subject to the provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapters 62-212 and 62-297 of the Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). The proposed permit from air permitting requirements and an air permit is required to perform the Bureau of Air Regulation is the Permitting Authority responsible for the issuance of this permit. The Permitting Authority's physical address is 1000 Drive, Suite #4, Tallahassee, Florida. The Permitting Authority's mailing address is Stone Road, MS #5505, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400. The Permitting Authority's phone number is 850/498-0114.

**Project File:** A complete project file is available for public inspection during business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except for holidays) at the address indicated above for the Permitting Authority. The complete project file includes the Permit, the Technical Evaluation and Preliminary Determination, the application submitted by the applicant, exclusive of confidential records and F.S. interested persons may contact the Permitting Authority's project review information at the address and phone number listed above. In addition, these documents are available on the following web site: <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/air/products/eds/draftauil.asp>

**Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit:** The Permitting Authority gives notice of its intent to issue an air permit for the project described above. The applicant is responsible for providing assurance that Operation of proposed equipment will not adversely affect the project will comply with all appropriate provisions of Chapter 62-212, 62-297, and 62-297, F.A.C. The Permitting Authority will issue an air permit in accordance with the conditions of the proposed Draft Permit unless an administrative hearing is filed under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. or a permit received in accordance with this notice results in a different decision or change of terms or conditions.

**Comments:** The Permitting Authority will accept written comments concerning a Draft Permit for a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice. Written comments must be provided to the Permitting Authority at the above address. Comments filed will be made available for public inspection. If written comments result in a significant change to the Draft Permit, the Permitting Authority may require, if applicable, another Public Notice.

**Petitions:** A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permit may petition for an administrative hearing in accordance with Section 120.57, F.S. The petition must contain the information set forth below and be received by the Department's Agency Clerk at the Office of General Counsel, Department of Environmental Protection at 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000. Petitions filed by any persons other than those named in the notice of receipt of a written notice, whichever occurs first. Under Section 120.57, F.S., any person who asked the Permitting Authority for notice of agency action shall mail a copy of the petition to the applicant at the address indicated above within 14 days of the date of receipt of the notice. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative hearing under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding, and only at the approval of the presiding officer, upon the filing of a petition in accordance with Section 28-106.205, F.A.C.

A petition that disputes the material facts on which the Permitting Authority must contain the following information: (a) The name and address of each agency's file or identification number, if known; (b) The name, address and telephone number of the petitioner; (c) The name, address and telephone number of the petitioner, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding; and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial rights will be affected by the proposed action; (d) A statement of when and how the petitioner received notice of the proposed action; (e) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact; (f) A statement of the petitioner's contention, reversal or modification of the proposed action; (g) A statement of the specific rules or statutes the petitioner contends are violated by the proposed action; and (h) A statement of the petitioner's contention, reversal or modification of the proposed action, including an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial rights will be affected by the proposed action. A petition that does not dispute the material facts on which the Permitting Authority's action is based shall state that no such facts are in dispute and shall contain the same information as set forth above, as required by F.A.C.

Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final action on a petition taken by it in this Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit, persons whose interests will be affected by any such final decision of the Permitting Authority have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.

**Mediation:** Mediation is not available for this proceeding.