



TAMPA ELECTRIC

December 12, 2006

Ms. Gracy Danois
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IV
Atlanta Federal Center
61 Forsyth Street
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-3104

Via FedEx
Airbill No. 7928 9848 6270

Ms. Trina Vielhauer
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
111 South Magnolia Drive, Suite 4
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Via FedEx
Airbill No. 791186994136

**Re: Tampa Electric Company
Polk Power Station Unit 4
Anticipated Commercial Operations Notification
Project No. 1050233-018-AC, PSD-FL-363**

Dear Ms. Danois and Ms. Vielhauer:

Tampa Electric Company (TEC) is notifying the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) of the anticipated date of initial commercial operations as required by 40 CFR 75.61(a)(2)(i), the designated representative for an affected unit shall submit written notification: For a new unit or a newly affected unit, of the planned date when a new unit or newly affected unit will commence commercial operation or, for new stack or flue gas desulfurization system, of the planned date when a new stack or flue gas desulfurization system will be completed and emissions will first exit to the atmosphere. TEC hereby gives notice of commercial operation, for environmental purposes, of Polk Power Station Unit 4 will be on or about January 8, 2007. Polk Power Station Unit 4 is a General Electric PG7241(FA) simple cycle natural gas turbine generator with a nominal output of 165 megawatt (MW) and a 114 foot stack.

As the schedule changes TEC will keep the FDEP updated. TEC appreciates your cooperation in this matter and if you have any questions, please call Joshua Ellwein at (813) 228-4433.

Sincerely,

Byron Burrows
Air Programs Manager
Environmental, Health & Safety

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c: ~~Mr. J. Koerner - FDEP~~
Ms. M. G. Nasca, FDEP SW

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