# **UNITED STATES**

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT** 

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):

July 17, 2006

TECO ENERGY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Florida (State or other jurisdiction

1-8180 (Commission File Number) **59-2052286** (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

702 North Franklin Street, Tampa Florida (Address of principal executive offices)

33602

(Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (813) 228-1111

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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#### **Section 8** Other Events

#### **Item 8.01: Other Events**

See the TECO Energy, Inc. press release dated July 17, 2006, attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference, reporting on the status of synthetic fuel production by a subsidiary of TECO Coal Corporation, Pike Letcher Synfuel, LLC.

### Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

### Item 9.01: Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (d) Exhibits
  - 99.1 Press release dated July 17, 2006 reporting on the status of synthetic fuel production by a subsidiary of TECO Coal Corporation, Pike Letcher Synfuel, LLC.

### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: July 17, 2006

TECO ENERGY, INC.

(Registrant)

/s/ G. L. GILLETTE G. L. GILLETTE Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer)