TOUCHTON J THOMAS

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **TOUCHTON J THOMAS** Issuer Symbol TECO ENERGY INC [TE] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O TECO ENERGY, INC., P.O. 05/02/2007 below) BOX 111 4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

TAMPA, FL 33601

(City)	(State) (Z	Table Table	I - Nor	1-De	rivative S	Securit	ties Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Stock	04/26/2007		G	V	833	D	\$ 0	8,320	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2007		G	V	833	A	\$0	44,469	I	By Trust
Common Stock	05/02/2007		A		2,500 (1)	A	\$0	10,820	D	

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				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TOUCHTON J THOMAS C/O TECO ENERGY, INC. P.O. BOX 111 TAMPA, FL 33601	X						

Signatures

David E. Schwartz, by Power of Attorney 05/04/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Time-vested restricted shares that vest in three equal annual installments beginning on May 2, 2008.

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