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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSIO Washington, D.C. 20549								NOMB	3235-02	287	
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Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940											
(Print or Type Resp	JOIISES)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> TOUCHTON J THOMAS			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			TECO	ENERGY	INC [T	E]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
C/O TECO ENERGY, INC., P.O. BOX 111			04/01/2008								
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					al	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person				
TAMPA, FL 3	3601						Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	Fransaction Date onth/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit nAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	(D) Price	(IIISU: 5 and 4)				
Reminder: Report	on a separate line	e for each cl	ass of sec	urities bene	-	-					
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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	D
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	S

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	((Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	of (D)				D)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	04/01/2008		A		807.217		(2)	(2)	Common Stock (2)	807.217 \$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TOUCHTON J THOMAS C/O TECO ENERGY, INC. P.O. BOX 111 TAMPA, FL 33601	Х						
Signatures							
David E. Schwartz, by Power o Attorney	f	04/03	3/2008				

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) 1-for-1.

(2) The Phantom Stock Units were accrued under the TECO Energy, Inc. Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan and are to be settled in cash following the reporting person's retirement.

(3) Includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.

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