SECURITIES

ES AND EXCHANGE (COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549	
FORM 8-K	
CURRENT REPORT	
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) o	f
the Securities Exchange Act of 193	34
Date of Report (Date of earliest event repor	ted):
FEBRUARY 9, 2004	
TECO ENERGY, IN (Exact name of registrant as specified in its char	
1-8180	59-2052286

FLORIDA (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission file Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

702 North Franklin Street, Tampa Florida 33602

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 $(Address\ of\ principal\ executive\ offices)\ (Zip\ code)$

 $Registrant \ \ s \ telephone \ number, including \ area \ code: (813) \ 228-4111$

Item 12 - Results of Operations and Financial Condition

See the Press Release dated Feb. 9, 2004, included as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference, reporting on TECO Energy, Inc. s financial results for the three-month and twelve-month periods ended Dec. 31, 2003.

SIGNATURE

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: February 9, 2004 TECO ENERGY, INC.
Registrant

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By: /s/ G. L. GILLETTE

G. L. GILLETTE

Senior Vice President Finance

and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer)

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