BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Application for a rate increase by Gulf Power Company.) ORDER NO. PSC-93-0571-PCO-EI

) DOCKET NO. 930139-EI) ISSUED: April 13, 1993

ORDER REGARDING WAIVER AND MODIFICATION OF MINIMUM FILING REQUIREMENTS

BY THE COMMISSION:

By letter dated February 5, 1993, Gulf Power Company (Gulf) notified the Commission Chairman of its intent to file a petition for a rate increase using the year ended December 31, 1994, as its fully projected test year. Pursuant to a letter dated March 16, 1993, Gulf requested a formal waiver or modification of certain minimum filing requirement (MFR) schedules to be filed in conjunction with its petition.

Pursuant to Rule 25-6.043(3), Florida Administrative Code, the Commission may waive or modify specific data that is associated with the minimum filing requirements required by the rule. Having reviewed the company's filing, I make the following rulings on the company's request to modify or waive certain MFR schedules:

| Schedule A-lb | - | The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted. |
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| Schedule A-4b | - | The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted. |
| Schedule A-6 | | The company's request to modify this schedule is denied. Any transfers due to rate class restructuring or adding new rate classes should be included in the filing. Because estimates of migration due to restructuring or adding new classes are needed to develop rates for these classes, these estimates should also be included. Migrations due solely to rate level changes, however, need not be included because these migrations depend on the final rates that are approved by the Commission. |

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Schedule B-10 - The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This data is needed to compare the company's additions over time as well as provide a list of what type of additions and retirements the company has made since its last rate case. Additions and retirements less than \$5 million are not insignificant for rate making purposes.

- Schedule B-13c The company's request to modify this schedule is approved.
- Schedule B-16 The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted.
- Schedule C-11 The company's request to modify this schedule is approved.
- Schedule C-16 The company's request to waive this schedule is approved.
- Schedule C-59 The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted.
- Schedule C-65 The company's request to modify this schedule is approved.
- Schedule D-8 The company's request to modify this schedule is approved.
- Schedule E-15 The company's request to modify this schedule is approved.
- Schedule E-16a The company's request to modify this schedule is denied. Any transfers due to rate class restructuring or adding new rate classes should be included in the filing. Because estimates of migration due to restructuring or adding new classes are needed to develop rates for these classes, these estimates should also be included. Migrations due solely to rate level changes, however, need not be included because these migrations

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depend on the final rates that are approved by the Commission.

- Schedule E-18a The company's request to modify this schedule is approved with respect to detailed historical migration only. Historical billing determinants are required to support the rate case forecast and therefore should be included.
- Schedule E-18b The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. Historical billing KW are necessary to develop the rate case forecast and therefore should be included.
- Schedule E-18c The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. Historical MWH Sales are necessary to develop the rate case forecast and therefore should be included.
- Schedule E-19 The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. Historical information is necessary to develop the rate case forecast and therefore should be included.
- Schedule E-22 The company's request to modify this schedule is approved.
- Schedule E-27a The company's request to modify this schedule is approved.
- Schedule F-8 The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted.
- Schedule F-16 The company's request to waive this schedule is approved.
- Schedule F-18 The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted.
- Schedule F-19 The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted.

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Schedule F-20 - The company's request to waive this schedule is denied. This schedule can be filed with the statement "not applicable" noted.

All "G" MFR Schedules - The company's request to waive these schedules is approved.

Subsequent Year MFR Schedules - The company's request to waive these schedules is approved.

Except for the modifications and waivers approved above, the company shall otherwise comply with the requirements of Rule 25-6.043, Florida Administrative Code.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED that Gulf Power Company's request to modify and waive certain minimum filing requirements imposed by Rule 25-6.043, Florida Administrative Code, is approved as discussed above.

By ORDER of Commissioner Julia L. Johnson, as Prehearing Officer, this 13th day of <u>April</u>, <u>1993</u>.

MARIAN

FILIA L. JOHNSON, Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an ORDER NO. PSC-93-0571-PCO-EI DOCKET NO. 930139-EI PAGE 5

administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.038(2), Florida Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.