

May 21, 1999

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee FL 32399-0870

Dear Ms. Bayo:

RE: Docket No. 990325-EI

Enclosed for filing are an original and fifteen copies of Gulf Power Company's Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification for the responses to Late-Filed Exhibit Nos. 1 and 2 to the deposition of William F. Pope and the Late-Filed Exhibit Nos. 1 and 2 to the deposition of Maria J. Burke in the above docket.

Sincerely,

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Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer

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Enclosures

cc: Beggs and Lane

Jeffrey A. Stone, Esquire Hopping Green Sams & Smith Richard D. Melson, Esquire This Notice of Intent was filed with Confidential Document No. <u>Obt 99999</u>. The document has been placed in the confidential files pending receipt of a request for confidential treatment.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Gulf Power Company to

Determine Need for Proposed Electrical Power Plant in Bay County, Florida

Docket No.: Filed:

990325-EI

May 24, 1999

NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

GULF POWER COMPANY ["Gulf Power", "Gulf", or "the Company"], by and through its undersigned attorney and pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby gives notice that it intends to request confidential classification for the responses to Late-Filed Exhibit Nos. 1 and 2 to the deposition of William F. Pope and the Late-Filed Exhibit Nos. 1 and 2 to the deposition of Maria J. Burke. A copy of these exhibits is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

This exhibit contains proprietary confidential business information regarding bid/proposal information and information relating to competitive interests the disclosure of which would cause irreparable harm to Gulf Power Company and the Southern Company. The information for which confidential classification is sought is intended to be and is treated by Gulf Power Company and the Southern Company as private and is not otherwise publically available.

A formal request for confidential classification will be filled within the time specified in Rule 25-22.006(3)(a), florida Administrative Code, if the Staff determines that the information will be retained by the Commission and not returned to the companies within the specified time period

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RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 21^{5+} Day of May, 1999,

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Certificate of Service

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished this 210 day of May 1999 by U.S. Mail or hand delivery to the following:

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