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October 15, 2001

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee FL 32399-0870

Dear Ms. Bayo:

RE: Docket No. 000808-EI

Enclosed are an original and fifteen copies of Gulf Power Company's Notice of Voluntary Dismissal and/or Withdrawal of Petition in the above docket.

Sincerely,

Susan P. Ritenau

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Enclosure

cc: Beggs and Lane Jeffrey A. Stone, Esquire

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Petition for approval of) Consumptive Water Use Monitoring) Activity and Smith Wetlands Mitigation) Plan as New Programs for cost recovery through the Environmental Cost Recovery) Clause by Gulf Power Company

Docket No. 000808-EI Date Filed: October 16, 2001

GULF POWER COMPAN'S NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSALAND/OR WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION

Gulf Power Company, ("Gulf Power", "Gulf", or "the Company"), by and through its undersigned attorneys, and pursuant to Rule 1.420(a)(1) of the Florida Civil Rules of Procedure and Commission Order No. PSC-94-0310-FOF-EQ, hereby voluntarily dismisses and/or withdraws those portions of its petition dated June 30, 2000 seeking approval of cost recovery for the Smith Wetlands Mitigation Plan in this docket. Gulf Power requests the Commission to enter an order acknowledging this dismissal and/or withdrawal and finding those portions of Order No. PSC-00-2092-PAA-EI addressing Gulf Power's request for ECRC recovery of costs associated with the Company's Smith Wetlands Mitigation Plan to be a nullity consistent with its actions in Order No. PSC-01-0104-PAA-EI. Gulf's notice of voluntary dismissal and/or withdrawal of petition filed on October 5, 2001 is hereby withdrawn and this notice is substituted in its place.

Respectfully submitted this $\frac{15}{100}$ day of October, 2001.

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Certificate of Service

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing was furnished by hand delivery or the U. S. Mail this 15^{22} day of October 2001 on the following:

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