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September 20, 2013

TO:

Marguerite H. McLean, Records Technician, Office of Commission Clerk

FROM:

Lisa Ray, Administrative Assistant I, Division of Accounting & Finance

RE:

Gulf Power Company, Docket No. 130140-EI - Confidentiality Request -

Document No. 05413-13

Attached is staff response to Gulf Power Company's (Gulf) request for confidential classification of certain portions of Gulf's response to Citizen's first Request for Production of Documents No. 50 in Docket No. 130140-EI, Petition for Rate Increase by Gulf Power Company (Document No. 04839-13).

Please include this in the docket file.

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Martha F. Barrera, Senior Attorney, Office of the General Counsel TO:

Dale R. Buys, Public Utility Analyst IV, Division of Accounting & Finance

CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION FROM:

RE:

DOCKET NO.: 130140-EI DOCUMENT NO: 04839-13

DESCRIPTION: GPC (Badders) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Information sought by OPC

in 1st request for PODs (No. 50)

Pursuant to Section 366.093 of the Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Gulf Power Company (GPC) requests confidential classification of certain highlighted information on Document No. 04839-13. This memo addresses only the information contained in GPC's responses to the Office of Public Counsel's (OPC) first request for production of documents, number 50.

Staff has reviewed GPC's confidentiality request. GPC's response to OPC's first request for production of documents, number 50 contains presentations made by GPC to certain credit rating agencies that includes forward looking financial information, the disclosure of which could harm the competitive interests of the company. In staff's opinion, the request meets the criteria for confidentiality set forth in section 366.093(3)(e), Florida Statutes. Therefore, staff recommends that GPC's request for confidentiality of GPC's response to OPC's first request for production of documents, number 50, contained in Document No. 04839-13 be approved.

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TO:	Division of Accounting and Finance, Office of Primary Responsibility
FROM:	OFFICE OF COMMISSION CLERK
RE:	CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN INFORMATION
	DOCKET NO(s): <u>130140-EI</u> DOCUMENT NO(s): <u>04839-13</u>
	DESCRIPTION: GPC (Badders) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Information sought by OPC in 1st request for PODs (Nos. 1-59) and 1st set of interrogatories (Nos. 1-79).
	SOURCE: Gulf Power Company
The above confidential material was previously filed and pertains to a <u>request for confidential classification [DN 05311-13]</u> , filed 9/9/13. Please complete the following form by checking all applicable information and forward it to the attorney assigned to the docket, along with a brief memorandum supporting your recommendation.	
 X The document(s) is (are), in fact, what the utility asserts it (them) to be. X The utility has provided enough details to perform a reasoned analysis of its request. X The material has been received incident to an inquiry. X The material is confidential business information because it includes: 	
 (a) Trade secrets; (b) Internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors; (c) Security measures, systems, or procedures; 	
(d) Information concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the company to contract for services on favorable terms; e) Employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities;
(f) Tax returns or tax-related information;
<u>x</u> (g) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of information.
X The material appears to be confidential in nature and harm to the company or its ratepayers will result from public disclosure.	
The m	aterial appears not to be confidential in nature.
The m	aterial is a periodic or recurring filing and each filing contains confidential information.
This response was prepared by <u>Dale Buys</u> on <u>Sept. 19, 2013</u> , a copy of which has been sent to the Office of Commission Clerk and the Office of General Counsel via Lisa Ray.	