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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
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Florida Public Service Commission
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0870

Re: Docket No. 931044-EI

Dear Ms. Bayo:

The original and fifteen copies of Gulf Power Company's Post-Hearing Statement of Issues and Summary of Positions and the Post Hearing Brief of Gulf Power Company are enclosed for official filing with the Commission. Also enclosed is a double sided high density 3.5 inch computer diskette containing these documents in WordPerfect 5.1 format as prepared on a MS-DOS based computer.

Please mark the extra copy of this letter enclosed herein with the date and time the material was accepted in your office for filing and return same to the undersigned. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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IN RE: Gulf Power Company's petition)
for authority to implement a)
replacement rate schedule for the)
standby electric service provided by)
the Company.)

Docket No. 931044-EI
Date filed: 08/31/94

GULF POWER COMPANY'S POST-HEARING
STATEMENT OF ISSUES AND SUMMARY OF POSITIONS

Gulf Power Company ["Gulf Power", "Gulf", or "the Company"], by and through its undersigned attorneys, and pursuant to Rule 25-22.056(3), Florida Administrative Code, and in accordance with the Order Establishing Procedure in this docket, Order No. PSC-94-0727-PCO-EI, issued June 13, 1994, hereby submits this separate statement containing the summaries of Gulf's positions on the issues identified in the prehearing order as set forth in the brief submitted contemporaneously herewith.

ISSUES AND POSITIONS

ISSUE 1: Is the Coordinated Maintenance Month (CMM) provision on the Standby and Supplemental rate schedule appropriate?

*SUMMARY OF GULF'S POSITION:

Yes. The CMM provision provides an appropriate incentive to the SBS customers to perform their scheduled maintenance activities at a time when the impact of their demand is not likely to require additional capacity resources, and provides an appropriate price signal based on the incremental cost of additional generating capacity.

ISSUE 2: Is the annual review of the Option A daily demand charge found on the Standby and Supplemental rate schedule appropriate?

*SUMMARY OF GULF'S POSITION:

Yes. The annual review provision enables the Company to make an adjustment to the daily demand charge component to ensure that the Option A customer's total potential exposure to daily demand charges is no higher than it would be if the customer were not a participant in the SE program.

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ISSUE 3: Is the applicability of rate charges for the above 7,499 KW demand range customers appropriate.

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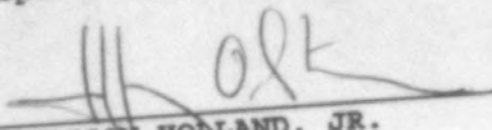
This issue was withdrawn by the Staff following Gulf's agreement to make certain specific modifications to the language in the final paragraph of Fourth Revised Tariff Sheet No. 6.29 of the Company's Tariff for Retail Electric Service. [R. 215-216, 219, 228-229] These agreed upon changes are set forth in Hearing Exhibit No. 7 which was admitted into evidence at the hearings held in this docket. [R. 215, 228]

ISSUE 4: Should the Commission approve the Gulf Power Standby and Supplemental rate schedule?

*SUMMARY OF GULF'S POSITION:
Yes. New rate schedule SBS is the result of a collaborative effort between Gulf and its customers, is based on sound ratemaking principles and sends an appropriate price signal to Gulf's self-generating customers, for the ultimate benefit of the Company's general body of ratepayers.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1994.

Respectfully submitted,


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