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NOTICE is hereby given that the FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION will consider, at its February 17, 1998, Agenda Conference, Docket No. 980091-EI, the application of Gulf Power Company (Gulf or the Company) for authority to receive equity funds from Southern Company, to issue and sell up to \$300 million in long-term debt and equity securities, and to issue and sell a maximum of \$185 million of short-term debt securities during the twelve months ending March 31, 1999.

DATE AND TIME: The Agenda Conference begins at 9:30 a.m., February 17, 1998, although the time at which this item will be heard cannot be determined at this time.

PLACE: Commission Hearing Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida

PURPOSE: To take final action in Docket No. 980091-EI. Any person requiring some accommodation at this hearing because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (850) 413-6770 at least five calendar days prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

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