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MAY 19, 1998

RE: DOCKET NO. 980345-EI - Petition by Gulf Power Company for approval of cost recovery for a new environmental program entitled "Upgrade to Incorporate Low NOx Burners at Crist Units 4 & 5."

Issue 1: Should the Commission approve Gulf Power's petition for recovery of costs of the upgrade to incorporate low NOx burner tips at Crist Units 4 & 5 through the Environmental Cost Recovery Clause?

Recommendation: Yes. The Commission should approve Gulf Power Company's petition for recovery of costs of the upgrade to incorporate low NOx burner tips at Crist Units 4 & 5 through the ECRC. The prudence of the project costs incurred will be determined by the Commission in a subsequent ECRC hearing, and final disposition of the costs will be subject to audit.

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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Issue 2: Does the approval of the petition require a midcourse correction to Gulf Power Company's ECRC factors set by the Commission in Order No. PSC-97-1047-FOF-EI, issued on September 5, 1997?

Recommendation: No. Approval of the petition does not require a midcourse correction to Gulf Power Company's ECRC factors set by the Commission in Order No. PSC-97-1047-FOF-EI, issued on September 5, 1997.

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Issue 3: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the Commission's proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the order, this docket should be closed.

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