

October 21, 1998

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee FL 32399-0870

Dear Ms. Bayo:

RE: Docket No. 980002-EG

Enclosed are an original and ten copies of the Preliminary Statement of Gulf Power Company regarding Issues and Positions.

Also enclosed is a 3.5 inch double sided, high density diskette containing the Petition in WordPerfect for Windows 6.1 format as prepared on a Windows NT based computer.

Sincerely,

Susan D. Cranmer

Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Conservation Cost Recovery)		
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PRELIMINARY STATEMENT OF GULF POWER COMPANY REGARDING ISSUES AND POSITIONS

Gulf Power Company, ("Gulf Power", "Gulf", or "the "Company"), by and through its undersigned attorneys, files this preliminary statement of issues and positions, saying:

Generic Energy Conservation Cost Recovery Issues

ISSUE 1: What is the appropriate adjusted net true-up amount for the period October, 1997

through March, 1998?

GULF: Over recovery \$167,208. (Neyman)

ISSUE 2: What is the appropriate projected end-of-period total net true-up amount for the

period April, 1998 through December, 1998?

GULF: Over recovery \$786,723. (Neyman)

ISSUE 3: What is the appropriate conservation cost recovery factor for the period January, 1999 through December, 1999?

GULF: The Company's proposed conservation cost recovery factors by customer class for the period April 1998 through March 1999 are as follows:

RATE CLASS*	CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY FACTORS ¢/KWH	
RS, RST	0.021	
GS, GST	0.020	
GSD, GSDT	0.020	
LP, LPT	0.019	
PX, PXT, RTF, CSA	0.018	
OSI, OSII	0.018	
OSIII	0.019	
osiv	0.023	
SBS	0.018	

(Neyman).

Gulf Power Company-Specific Conservation Cost Recovery Issues

NONE RAISED BY GULF POWER COMPANY

Dated this Hay of October, 1998.

Respectfully submitted,

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