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Ms. Blanca S. Bayó  
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Re: Petition of Gulf Power Company to Determine Need for  
Proposed Electrical Power Plant in Bay County, Florida  
Docket No. 990325-EI

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Gulf Power Company are the  
original and fifteen copies of its Objections to Leaf's 1<sup>st</sup> Set  
of Interrogatories.

By copy of this letter, this document has been furnished to  
the parties on the attached service list.

Very truly yours,

Richard D. Melson

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Gulf Power	)	Docket No. 990325-EI
Company to determine need for	)	
proposed electrical power plant	)	Filed: April 21, 1999
in Bay County.	)	
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GULF'S OBJECTIONS TO LEAF'S  
1ST SET OF INTERROGATORIES

Gulf Power Company hereby objects to Interrogatory No. 7 of LEAF's 1st Set of Interrogatories on the grounds that the unit-specific fuel forecast requested by the interrogatory constitutes confidential, proprietary business information of Gulf Power, the public disclosure of which would adversely impact the interests of Gulf and its customers.

Notwithstanding this objection, Gulf will provide an answer to this interrogatory subject to the execution of an appropriate Non-Disclosure Agreement between Gulf and LEAF.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 21st day of April, 1999.

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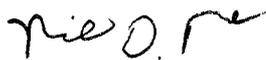
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was furnished to the following parties by U.S. Mail or Hand Delivery (\*) this 21st day of April, 1999.

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