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TO: DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING (RRY6)

FROM: DIVISION OF ELECTRIC AND GAS (GING) *DRW*
DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (ELIAS) *RIVERA*

RE: DOCKET NO. 000206-21 - PETITION TO MODIFY DEFINITION OF RESIDENTIAL SERVICE RATE BY GULF POWER COMPANY.

AGENDA: 2/29/00 - REGULAR AGENDA - TARIFF FILING INTERESTED PERSONS MAY PARTICIPATE

CRITICAL DATES: 60-DAY SUSPENSION DATE: MARCH 20, 2000

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: NONE

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DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

ISSUE 1: Should the Commission suspend Gulf Power Company's (GPC) petition to modify the definition of residential service rate by GPC?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The Commission should suspend GPC's petition to modify the definition of residential service rate by GPC.

STAFF ANALYSIS: On January 20, 2000, GPC filed a petition to modify the definition of residential electric service to include separately metered detached garages, pools, boat docks, etc. as residential service.

Pursuant to Section 386.06(3), Florida Statutes, the Commission may withhold consent to the operation of all or any portion of a new rate schedule, delivering to the utility requesting such increase, within 60 days, a reason or written

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statement of good cause for doing so. Staff recommends that the proposed tariff be suspended to allow staff the opportunity to request more supporting data, and additional time to evaluate the petition. Staff believes this is a good cause, consistent with the requirement of Section 366.06(3), Florida Statutes.

ISSUE 2: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: No. The docket should remain open pending a final decision on the tariff.

STAFF ANALYSIS: The docket should remain open pending a final decision on the tariff.