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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
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Florida Public Service Commission
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Dear Ms. Bayo:

RE: Docket No. 000002-EG

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

Also enclosed is a 3.5 inch double sided, high density diskette containing the Statement in WordPerfect for Windows 8.0 format as prepared on a Windows NT based computer.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan D. Ritenour".

Susan D. Ritenour
Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer

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cc: Beggs and Lane
Jeffrey A. Stone

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Conservation Cost Recovery)
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Docket No. 000002-EG
Filed: October 18, 2000

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 January, 1999 through December, 1999?

GULF: Over recovery \$217,821. (Neyman)

ISSUE 2: What is the appropriate projected end-of-period total net true-up amount for the period January, 2000 through December, 2000?

GULF: Under recovery \$913,707. (McCarthy)

ISSUE 3: What is the appropriate conservation cost recovery factor for the period January, 2001 through December, 2001?

GULF: The Company's proposed conservation cost recovery factors by customer class for the period January, 2001 through December, 2001 are as follows:

RATE CLASS*	CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY FACTORS ¢/KWH
RS, RST	0.053
GS, GST	0.053
GSD, GSDT	0.050
LP, LPT	0.047
PX, PXT, RTP, CSA	0.045
OSI, OSII	0.041
OSIII	0.048
OSIV	0.043
SBS	0.045

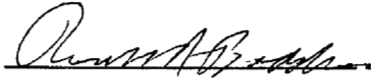
(McCarthy).

Gulf Power Company-Specific Conservation Cost Recovery Issues

NONE RAISED BY GULF POWER COMPANY

Dated this 17th day of October, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,



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