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September 27, 2002

Mr. Wm. Cochran Keating, Esquire  
FL Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee FL 32399-0863

Dear Mr. Keating:

RE: Docket No. 020001-EI

Enclosed are Gulf Power Company's responses to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories, Nos. 1-7 and Nos. 18-21 in Docket No. 020001-EI. Gulf Power Company's response to Interrogatory No. 6 is being provided pursuant to a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification filed with the Florida Public Service Commission.

Sincerely,

Susan D. Ritenour  
Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer

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Enclosures

cc: Beggs and Lane  
Jeffrey A. Stone, Esquire  
Florida Public Service Commission  
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Fuel and purchased power cost  
recovery clause and generating performance  
incentive factor

Docket No.: 020001-EU  
Date Filed: September 27, 2002

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

1. Notices and communications with respect to this Notice should be addressed to:

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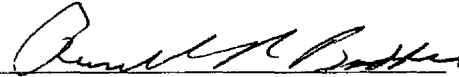
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2. Gulf Power Company ["Gulf Power", "Gulf", or "the Company"], by and through its undersigned attorney's and pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby gives notice that it intends to request confidential classification for portions of Gulf Powers's response to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories to Gulf Power Company (Nos. 1-21). A copy of the interrogatories is attached hereto as exhibit "A".

3. Gulf Power Company's responses to interrogatory numbered 6 contains proprietary and commercially sensitive information regarding competitive interests which are held confidential by Gulf Power Company. Public release of the information submitted herewith would cause irreparable harm to Gulf Power Company and would impair Gulf's ability to contract for goods on favorable terms. Gulf asserts that this information meets the requirements of section 366.093 (e), Florida Statutes. A formal request for confidential classification will be filed within the time period specified in Rule 25-22.006(3)(a), Florida Administrative Code, if

the Staff determines that the information will be retained by the Commission and not returned to Gulf Power Company within the specified time period. In the event the Staff determines that it will retain this information, Gulf Power Company requests to be notified, through the undersigned counsel, prior to the expiration of the period specified in Rule 25-22.006(3)(a).

Respectfully submitted,



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EXHIBIT A

6. For each hour referenced in response to staff's Interrogatory No. 3, provide the following information for each resource, in ascending order of marginal cost, that Gulf Power dispatched to meet its total load:
- a. Name of system resource;
  - b. Output of system resource; and
  - c. Marginal cost of system resource.

For purposes of this interrogatory, a system resource can include, but is not limited to: Gulf Power's generating units; a wholesale energy purchase; interruptible or curtailable load; and dispatchable load management.

ANSWER:

See pages 2 through 11 for response.