

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

Docket No.: 080001-EI
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NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

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

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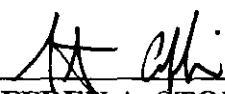
2. Gulf Power Company ["Gulf Power", "Gulf", or "the Company"], by and through its undersigned attorneys and pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby gives notice that it intends to request confidential classification for portions of Gulf Power's response to Staff's Second Request for Production of Documents to Gulf Power Company (Nos. 9-10). Copies of the confidential documents are attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

3. A portion of Gulf Power Company's responses to requests numbered 9 and 10 of Commission Staff's Second Request for Production of Documents contains proprietary confidential business information regarding contractual matters which would cause irreparable harm to Gulf Power, the entities with whom it has entered into contracts and, most importantly, to Gulf's customers if such information was disclosed to the general public. The information is entitled to confidential classification pursuant to section 366.093(d) and (e), Florida Statutes. Specifically, the confidential information consists of: (a) pricing terms for coal offered to and purchased by Gulf Power in 2007; (b) natural gas hedging transaction documents which provide

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pricing information for natural gas hedges entered by Gulf Power in 2007; and (c) work papers and source documents containing pricing terms for capacity payments addressed in Schedule CCA-4 to Exhibit RJM-1 of witness Rhonda Martin's testimony filed with the Commission on March 3, 2008. Disclosure of this information would negatively impact Gulf's ability to negotiate pricing favorable to its customers in the future. In addition, potential counterparties may refuse to enter into contracts with Gulf in the future, or may charge higher prices, if the contract terms are made public. 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).



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9. Please refer to the testimony and exhibits of Gulf witness Rhonda J. Martin filed March 3, 2008. Please provide a complete copy of all work papers and source documents associated with this testimony and exhibits. For documents related to this request that have already been filed with the Commission, please only reference the docket and the time of the filing.

ANSWER:

Gulf Power's response to this request is being provided pursuant to a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(3)(a).

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10. Please refer to the testimony and exhibits of Gulf witness H. R. Ball filed March 3, 2008. Please provide a complete copy of all work papers and source documents associated with this testimony and exhibits. For documents related to this request that have already been filed with the Commission, please only reference the docket and the time of the filing.

ANSWER:

Gulf Power's response to this request is being provided pursuant to a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(3)(a).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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DATE: July 9, 2008

TO: Susan Ritenour, Gulf Power Company

FROM: Ruth Nettles, Office of Commission Clerk

RE: Acknowledgement of Receipt of Confidential Filing

This will acknowledge receipt of a **CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT** filed in Docket Number 080001 or, if filed in an undocketed matter, concerning responses to staff's 2nd request for PODs Nos. 9-10, and filed on behalf of Gulf Power Company. The document will be maintained in locked storage.

If you have any questions regarding this document, please contact Marguerite Lockard, Deputy Clerk, at (850) 413-6770.

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