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July 14, 2008

Ms. Ann Cole, Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee FL 32399-0850

Dear Ms. Cole:

Re: Docket No. 080001-EI

Enclosed is the original of Gulf Power Company's response to Staff's Fourth Data Request dated July 10, 2008, to be filed in the above referenced docket.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost
Recovery Clause with Generating
Performance Incentive Factor
Docket No.: 080001-EI

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1. To get from the 2008 E1-B Schedule's amount, -\$45,808,275, to the 2009 E-1 Schedule's estimated True-up, \$35,404,477, did Gulf subtract the Estimated/Actual January through August 2008 monthly True-up Provisions, Interest Provisions, and Prior-Period Adjustment, and add the amount deferred to 2009, -\$35,048,851, as follows (within \$1)?

GULF'S RESPONSE:

Yes.

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Does Gulf agree that the adjustment in Question 1 is necessary because the E1-B Schedule is a twelve-month form, yet following a mid-course correction as petitioned for by Gulf, with part of the estimated July End-of-Period Total Net True-up being collected in September through December, the estimated December End-of-Period Total Net True-up technically would be a "four-month-period End-of-Period Total Net True-up?"

GULF'S RESPONSE:

The calculation of the December End-of-Period Total Net True-up reflects the revised over/under-recovery amounts and interest provisions using Gulf's requested cost recovery factors for the period September through December 2008 along with the deferral of a portion of the estimated End-of-Period Total Net True-up as of August 2008.