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September 23, 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-El

Enclosed are the following:

- 1. Gulf Power Company's Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification for portions of Gulf Power's response to Staff's Third Set of Interrogatories to Gulf Power Company (Nos. 12-14).
- 2. Gulf Power Company's Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification for portions of Gulf Power's response to Staff's Fourth Request for Production of Documents to Gulf Power Company (Nos. 13-15).

Sincerely,

Susan D. Riterour (lw)

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This docketed notice of intent was filed with Confidential Document No. <u>08998-08</u> The document has been placed in confidential storage pending timely receipt of a request for confidentiality.

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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.:

080001-EI

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## **NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

1. 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 Third Set of Interrogatories to Gulf Power Company (Nos. 12-14). Copies of the confidential documents are attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

2. A portion of Gulf Power Company's response to interrogatory number 12(d) 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 § 366.093(d) and (e), Florida Statutes. Specifically, the confidential information consists of pricing terms for coal purchased by Gulf Power in 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 would charge higher prices if the contract terms were 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,

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through the undersigned counsel, prior to the expiration of the period specified in Rule 25-22.006(3)(a).

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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

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing was furnished by U. S. mail this day of September, 2008, on the following:

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## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

DATE: September 24, 2008

TO:

Susan D. 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 portions of its responses to staff's 3<sup>rd</sup> set of interrogatories, 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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