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Dear Ms. Cole:

RE: Docket No. 110138-EI

Enclosed is an original and seven copies of Gulf Power Company's Request for Confidential Classification pertaining to certain portions of Gulf's response to Staff's Third request for Production of Documents. Also included is a CD-ROM of Gulf Power's Request for Confidential Classification and Exhibit C in Microsoft Word format as prepared on a Windows XP operating system.

Sincerely, Susan D. Riterour

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#### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Petition for increase in rates by Gulf Power Company

by Guil I ower Company

Docket No.:

110138-EI

Date:

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## REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

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 requests that the Florida Public Service Commission enter an order protecting from public disclosure certain portions of Gulf Power's response to Item 9 of Commission Staff's Third Request for Production of Documents to Gulf Power (Nos. 9-10). As grounds for this request, the Company states:

- 1. On July 28, 2011, Commission Staff served its Third Request for Production of Documents to Gulf Power (Nos. 9-10). Item 9 of Staff's request seeks all workpapers, calculations, and source documents that support Gulf's response to Interrogatory No. 35 of Staff's Third Set of Interrogatories to Gulf Power Company. In response to Item 9, Gulf Power is producing a portion of a confidential Automatic Meter Reading Network Products, Operations, and Maintenance Services Agreement. This document contains negotiated pricing terms for automated metering infrastructure. Disclosure of this information could negatively impact Gulf's ability to negotiate pricing and/or other terms favorable to its customers in the future. In addition, potential counterparties may refuse to enter into future agreements with Gulf, or may charge higher prices, if these terms were made public. The information is entitled to confidential classification pursuant to section 366.093(3)(d) and (e), Florida Statutes.
- 2. The information filed pursuant to this request is intended to be, and is treated as, confidential by Gulf Power and, to this attorney's knowledge, has not been otherwise publicly disclosed.

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3. Submitted as Exhibit "A" are copies of the subject documents, on which are highlighted the information for which confidential classification is requested. Exhibit "A" should be treated as confidential pending a ruling on this request. Attached as Exhibit "B" are two (2) edited copies of the subject documents, which may be made available for public review and inspection. Attached as Exhibit "C" to this request is a line-by-line/field-by-field justification for the request for confidential classification.

WHEREFORE, Gulf Power Company respectfully requests that the Commission enter an order protecting the information highlighted on Exhibit "A" from public disclosure as proprietary confidential business information.

Respectfully submitted this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011.

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# EXHIBIT "A"

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# EXHIBIT "B"

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## Exhibit 6 Pricing of Meters, Network Components & Related Service

			Part I: Meter Prici	ng B	C
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ttem	Meter	Meter Type	Meter Description	Annual Volume	Price
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				<100,000	
				Price for <500k Item 1 Annually	Price for ≥500k Item 1 Annually
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3	18	CL200 DMD	AP FlexNet		
4	18	CL200_DMD	iCon Basic DMD		
5	38	CL20_Kwh	iCon/FlexNet		
6	38	CL20_DMD	AP FlexNet		Ž
7	38	CL20_DMD	iCon Basic DMD		
8	48	CL20_Kwh	iCon/FlexNet		
9	48	CL20_DMD	AP FlexNet		
10	48	CL20_DMD	iCon Basic DMD		
11	28	CL200_DMD	AP FlexNet		
12	2\$	CL200 DMD	iCon Basic DMD		
13	2S	CL320_Kwh	iCon/FlexNet		
14	28	CL320 DMD	AP FlexNet		
15	2S	CL320 DMD	iCon Basic DMD		
16	128	CL200 Kwh	iCon/FlexNet		
17	12S	CL200 DMD	AP FlexNet		
18	12S	CL200 DMD	iCon Basic DMD		
19	12S	CL320 Kwh	N/A - Future Design	TBD	TBD
20	12S	CL320 DMD	N/A - Future Design	TBD	TBD
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22	Poly	CL20 DMD	APX FlexNet		
23	Poly	CL200 Kwh	APX FlexNet		
24	Poly	CL200 DMD	APX FlexNet		
25	Poly	CL320 Kwh	APX FlexNet	TBD	TBD
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#### Notes To Part I of Exhibit 6:

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- SCS and each Affiliated Utility is eligible for a rebate on all meter/radios and this
  rebate is already reflected in the prices shown above.
  - The volume headings for items 2-21 provide price breaks based on the annual volume deliveries of item 1. Selling price is determined by the total of the Affiliated Utility's orders of item 1 meters based on the Milestone Schedule Dates for meters to be delivered in the calendar year.
    - Changes in Orders may be made per note 3; however, at the end of each calendar
      year, actual volume deliveries, less any "rolled over" quantities will be used to
      determine any retroactive pricing true-ups.
    - Annual volume deliveries in excess of a volume price break used to determine the
      price paid for meters in any given calendar year may be used for "roll over" purposes
      for the following two calendar years. This is applicable for meters purchased through
      2011 with any "roll over" volume expiring at the end of 2013.
    - A true-up payment will be made from/to Sensus each January if the annual quantity delivered in the previous calendar year varied from the corresponding volume based price in the table above as follows:
      - (a) The Initial sales price for meters will be determined by estimated meter volume in addition to any "roll over" volume meters to be ordered in the given year, as supplied by SCS.
      - (b) If the quantity of Item 1 meters delivered is below 500,000, but the price of Item 1 meters used was the pricing for above 500,000, then the true-up payment from SCS to Sensus will equal the difference in pricing between the applicable volume-based columns multiplied by the number of meters in each category of meter type that was delivered in that year;
      - (c) if the quantity of Item 1 meters delivered is above 500,000, but the pricing of Item 1 meters used was below 500,000, then the true-up payment Sensus would make is equal to the difference in pricing between the applicable volume-based columns multiplied by the number of meters in each category of meter type that was delivered.
      - (d) For the purposes of calculating the true-up, any meters for which orders have been accepted but for which delivery is delayed shall be considered delivered.
  - Orders will be placed on an annual basis with scheduled deliveries which may be modified per the following:
    - (a) 60 days before delivery: no changes permitted unless mutually agreed in writing
    - (b) 60-90 days before delivery: volumes may be modified(c) 90-180 days before delivery: volumes may be modified
    - (d) 6 months 12 months before delivery; volumes may be modified as desired Except for the changes allowed above, equipment will be accepted and paid for by SCS unless otherwise mutually agreed upon.
- 4 4. The iCon meter will support Simple TOU and Simple Demand. There will be a adder to convert the iCon meter to a simple demand and a adder to convert a iCon to a simple TOU meter.
- The price shown for the APX does not reflect the reduction in price for ordering the meters without a battery and acquiring the time from the FlexNet network. The reduction cited in item 30 is applicable only for the APX meter.
  - 6. The price quoted for APX meters includes TOU and Load Profile.

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#### Part II: Network Component Pricing

## A. Estimated Requirements for Tower Gateway Base Stations (TGB's)

Operating Company
Alabama Power
Georgia Power
Gulf Power
Mississippi Power
Total Southern Company TGB's (see note 2)

#### B. Unit Prices For the Tower Gateway Base Stations and Other Network Components

		Low	Meter Volt	ime	High	Meter Vo	ume
6	TGB Equipment						
7	TGB Installation						
8	FNP Equipment						
9	FRP Equipment						

#### C. Network Installation Tools

		Per Unit Sessionated Quantity
10	Handheld - AIO	
11	FlexNet Thumb Buddy	
12	FlexNet Thumb Buddy with BlueTooth	
13	Buddy Box	

#### D. TGB Installation Services

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TGB Installation (when installation is managed by Sensus)	\$30,000.00
TGB Installation Inspection and Quality Assurance	\$10,000.00

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- 1. TGBs required for GPC includes the Savannah service territory.
- 2. Pricing for TGBs and FNPs is based on the annual volume deliveries of meters. In any year during which the total purchase of meters exceeds 500,000 units (including "Roll Over" credits from the previous year), the unit purchase prices of TGB's and FNP's shall be at the "High Meter Volume" price. In all other years, it shall be at the "Low Meter Volume" price.
- Orders will be placed on an annual basis with scheduled deliveries which may be modified per the following:
  - a. 60 days before delivery; no changes permitted unless mutually agreed in writing
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Except for the changes allowed above, equipment will be accepted and paid for by SCS unless otherwise mutually agreed upon.

- 4. Should an Affiliated Utility deploy FlexNet for 100% of its service territory, the TGB quantities described are a maximum and Sensus will guarantee coverage per note 7. This guarantee is provided through the per TGB certification described in note 8.
- The exact number of Handheld Installation and Diagnostics Tools is determined by the number of installers and field service technicians.
- Software to facilitate distribution automation, load control, and/or pre-payment is not included in this
  pricing and will be determined at a later date via an amendment to the pricing schedule upon agreement
  by both parties.
- Sensus will provide TGB coverage to keep pace with the deployment of the meters assuming two simultaneous meter deployment centers, such that upon deployment, the TGB coverage umbrella will

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of the Available Meters in the mutually agreed upon meter bearing coverage area for the meters with locations provided to Sensus in 2007. Should the TGB coverage be insufficient, additional TGB and FNP hardware required beyond the volumes described in part A above will be provided by Sensus at

Each Affiliated Utility may install the TGBs themselves. In such case, Sensus requires a
quality/certification of the installation performed by Sensus for each TGB at a price of per TGB.

- 9. The number of Handheld and FlexNet Thumb Buddies will be determined by the number of installers and technicians. The Handheld quantity is an estimate and is subject to change.
- 10. Services for the "TGB Installation (when installation is managed by Sensus)" include the following. In the event that SCS chooses to manage these installation activities, SCS will be responsible for the provision. of these services)

#### TGB installation

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Personnel

Recruit/hire/train qualified personnel Equip (Vehicles, tools, test equip, admin)

Qualify to work on owner's towers/utilities' facilities

Equipment and Materials

Forecast Equipment Forecast Materials Place Equipment Orders Place Material Orders

Receive TGB/Materials at secure location

Transport TGB/Materials to Site

Install Documentation

Prepare RFP/SOW Publish RFP/SOW Receive Quotes

Evaluate quotes and select contractor's)

Develop/document installation procedures

Schedule Installation Sub Contractor

Communications Requirements

Secure permits from owner/local authorities Determine back haul - AFAR, WAN, DSL, etc. Place Communications Circuit Order

Run/terminate commo lines

Connect commo circuits

#### Site Preparation

Coordinate space allocation with tower owner Acquire space for 19" rack for indoor site

Prepare Site

Pour concrete pad for outdoor site

Hand dig trenching for power/commo circults

Run/terminate power lines

Connect power line

Verify grounding requirement with tower owner and local code

Connect to grounding grid

Install TGB equipment indoor/outdoor

Install Outdoor Enclosure or;

Install 19" Indoor Rack

Make necessary penetrations in cabinets/structures

Install micro flex ports on cabinets/structures

Attach cables/lines to catwalks, conduits, etc.

Physically connect the communications lines (Antenna to TGB and TGB to

RNI)

Load s/w and program the TGB

Prepare Tower

Perform wind load study

Rig and install antenna

Rig and install antenna cable

Perform sweep study and co-location analysis

## **EXHIBIT "C"**

## Line-by-Line/Field-by-Field Justification

## Line(s)/Field(s)

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## Justification

This information is entitled to confidential classification pursuant to §366.093(3)(e), Florida Statutes. The basis for this information being designated as confidential is more fully set forth in paragraph 1.

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