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December 6, 2018

Russel A. Badders, Esq. Steven R. Griffin, Esq. Beggs & Lane P.O. Box 12950 Pensacola, FL 32591-2950 rab@beggslane.com srg@beggslane.com **Staff's Second Data Request** 

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Re: Docket No. 20180143-EI – Petition to initiate rulemaking to revise and amend portions of Rule 25-6.0426, F.A.C., by Florida Power & Light Company, Gulf Power Company, and Tampa Electric Company.

Dear Messrs. Badders and Griffin:

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Gulf Power Company (Gulf) provide responses to the following data requests:

- 1. Please confirm that Gulf's 2018 Forecasted December Earnings Surveillance report shows jurisdictional operating revenues of \$1,265,112,225 and that 0.15% would be \$1,897,668, which represents for 2018 the limit of Gulf's economic development expenses pursuant to Rule 25-6.0426(2)(b), F.A.C. If not, please explain and state the correct amounts.
- 2. The petition states on page 5 that Gulf is limited to \$2.3 million for economic development expenses under current Rule 25-6.0426, F.A.C. Please explain and show the calculation of the \$2.3 million amount.
- 3. Please state Gulf's projected total 2018 economic development expenses.
- 4. Please state the dollar amounts of shareholder portion of economic development expenses for 2016, 2017, and 2018.
- 5. For 2017, please show the derivation of the 5% shareholder contribution for economic development expenses. Gulf's December 2017 Earnings Surveillance Report shows \$63,522. Does this amount represent 5% of the total economic development expenses? If yes, please show each step of the calculation.

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Please file all responses electronically no later than December 17, 2018, from the Commission's website at <a href="www.floridapsc.com">www.floridapsc.com</a>, by selecting the Clerk's Office tab and Electronic Filing Web Form. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6495 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Henry Merryday

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk