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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 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 First Set of Interrogatories to Gulf Power Company (nos. 1-10).
- 2. Gulf Power Company's Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification for portions of Gulf Power's response to Staff's First Request for Production of Documents to Gulf Power Company (nos. 1-8).

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SCR		Jeffrey A. Stone, Esquire	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

Date Filed:

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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 Powers's response to Staff's First Request for Production of Documents to Gulf Power Company (Nos. 1-8). Copies of the confidential documents are attached hereto as Exhibit "A".
- 3. A portion of Gulf Power Company's responses to requests numbered 2 and 4 of Commission Staff's First Request for Production contain 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 were 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 and natural gas offered to and purchased by Gulf Power/Mississippi Power in connection with Requests for Proposals issued by DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

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Gulf Power/Mississippi Power in 2007. 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, 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 Notice of Intent (without attached confidential documents) was furnished by U. S. mail this 29th day of February, 2008, on the following:

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#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

	<b>DATE</b> : March 3, 2008	
TO:	Susan R. Ritenour/Gulf Power Company	
FROM:	Ruth Nettles, Office of Commission Clerk	
RE:	Acknowledgement of Receipt of Confidential Filing	

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

Lack at (850) 413-6770. This will acknowledge receipt of a CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT filed in Docket Number 080001-El or, if filed in an undocketed matter, concerning portions of responses to staff's 1st request for PODs, Nos. 1-8, and filed on behalf of Gulf Power Company. maintained in locked storage.

Deputy Clerk, at (850) 413-6770.

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