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Carlotta S. Stauffer, Director Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket 160186-EI; Petition for rate increase by Gulf Power Company

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

By this letter, I am requesting a copy of the following confidential document filed in the abovereferenced docket. By this request, OPC agrees to treat this information as confidential, and thus exempt from Section 119.70(1), Florida Statutes. We will also comply with Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, which addresses the treatment of confidential information.

The following document is requested:

| | 08165-16 | 10/12/2016 | GPC (Badders) - (CONFIDENTIAL) Certain portions of MFR Schedule D-2 consisting of projected information about the capital structure of affiliated and consolidated companies. | |
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Thank you in advance and please contact me by phone or e-mail when the copies are available for pick-up or if any further information is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

s | Denise N. Vandiver

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