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Ms. Carlotta Stauffer, Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee FL 32399-0850

RE: Docket No. 160186-EI

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

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On December 5, 2016, Gulf filed its Request for Confidential Classification and Motion for Protective Order regarding the confidential documents it produced in response to Office of Public Counsel (OPC) document request numbers 88, 90, 91, 96 and OPC interrogatory numbers 80-81. See Document No. 09117-16. Concurrent to filing its Request, Gulf provided the responsive confidential documents to the Commission Clerk. See Document No. 09118-16.

Upon reviewing the documents, Commission Staff identified portions of confidential documents responsive to OPC document request No. 96 about which it had questions. To address Staff's questions and clarify the confidential information claimed within the documents, on January 18, 2017, Gulf filed its Amended Request for Confidential Classification and Motion for Protective Order regarding the confidential documents it produced in response to these OPC discovery requests. See Document No. 00589-17. Concurrent to filing its Amended Request, Gulf provided confidential documents to Staff. See Document No. 00590-17. In accordance with Gulf's Amended Request, Staff returned the original versions of the confidential documents.

Recently, however, Staff informed Gulf's counsel that not all documents identified within Gulf's Amended Request (Document No. 00589-17) were included in the documents Gulf provided within Document No. 00590-17. Specifically, Staff indicated that Gulf had included confidential documents only responsive to OPC's

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document request No. 96. This omission was purely inadvertent by Gulf. At the request of Staff, enclosed is a complete set of responsive confidential documents to Document No. 00590-17, which are referenced in and intended to be treated confidentially pursuant to Gulf's Amended Request (Document No. 00589-17). We trust this clears up any confusion and completes the record for this filing.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Regulatory and Pricing Manager

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Enclosures

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