

February 13, 2020

Mr. Adam Teitzman, Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399



RE: Request for Confidential Classification Earnings Surveillance Report, Supplemental 2 for December 2019

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Enclosed is Gulf Power Company's Request for Confidential Classification for the Earnings Surveillance Report, Supplemental 2 for December 2019.

Sincerely, Richard Hume Regulatory Issues Manager md Enclosure	CLERK	2020 FEB 14 AM 10: 57	RECEIVED-FPSC
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Gulf Power Company Earnings Surveillance Report

Supplemental Filing for December 2019

Docket No.:

Undocketed

Date:

February 14, 2020

REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

GULF POWER COMPANY ("Gulf Power," "Gulf," or "the Company") by and through its undersigned attorney and pursuant to Rule 25-22.006. Florida Administrative Code, hereby files a request that the Florida Public Service Commission enter an order protecting from public disclosure information contained within the December 2019 supplements for Gulf Power Company's Earnings Surveillance Report which are being submitted to the Florida Public Service Commission pursuant to Order Nos. PSC-96-1219-FOF-EI, PSC-01-0390-TRF-EI, and PSC-14-0197-PAA-EI (collectively, the "CISR Surveillance Filings"). As grounds for this Request, Gulf Power Company states:

- On February 14, 2020, Gulf Power Company submitted to the Florida Public Service Commission Gulf Power Company's CISR Surveillance Filings as required by Order Nos. PSC-96-1219-FOF-EI, PSC-01-0390-TRF-EI and PSC-14-0197-PAA-EI.
- 2. The public disclosure of the information contained in the CISR Surveillance Filings would cause irreparable harm to Gulf Power Company and the entities with which it has entered Contract Services Arrangement ("CSA") contracts under the authority of Gulf Power's Commercial/Industrial Service Rider. The CISR Surveillance Filings contain proprietary confidential business information regarding pricing under the CSAs. Public disclosure of this information would impair the ability of Gulf Power Company to negotiate terms and conditions in future CSAs that are the most favorable to Gulf and its general body of customers. Moreover, the public disclosure of this information may prevent Gulf from successfully negotiating future CSAs with customers. The information is regarded as sensitive and confidential by the CISR customers because its public disclosure would impact the customers' ability to compete in the native markets. In the event such information is made public, future potential CISR customers

may avoid the risk of public disclosure of their confidential information by refusing to negotiate with Gulf Power. This may lead to uneconomic bypass of Gulf's facilities. Thus, the Company requests that this information be granted confidential classification pursuant to section 366.093(3)(d)-(e), Florida Statutes.

- 3. Submitted as Exhibit "A" are copies of the CISR Surveillance Filings, 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 CISR Surveillance Filings, which may be made available for public review and inspection. Attached as Exhibit "C" to this request is a line-by-line justification for the request for confidential classification.
- 4. The material for which confidential classification is requested is intended to be, and is treated as, confidential by Gulf Power Company and the entities with which it has entered a CSA contract and has not been otherwise publicly disclosed.

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.

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Respectfully submitted this 13th day of February, 2020.

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The information provided herein should be maintained as proprietary confidential business information pursuant to Section 366.093 and Rule 25-22.006. F.A.C.

EXHIBIT "A"

This information has been provided to the Commission Clerk under separate cover as confidential information.

EXHIBIT "B"

1	Supplemental 2
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3	GULF POWER COMPANY
4	SUPPLEMENTAL SURVEILLANCE REPORT INFORMATION
5	COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL SERVICE RIDER
6	DECEMBER 2019
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8	CONFIDENTIAL
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12	The information below is presented to comply with FPSC Order No. PSC-96-1219-FOF-EI, FPSC Order No.
13	PSC-01-0390-TRF-EI and FPSC Order No. PSC-14-0197-PAA-EI. This supplemental information is to be
14	treated as confidential. For CSA-3, it is estimated that the contract execution-to-date revenues,
15	excluding tax and franchise fees, that would have been produced by the application of Gulf Power's
16	otherwise applicable standard tariff rates to the pre-contract load would have been
17	than the revenues actually received by Gulf Power pursuant to the executed CSA. For
18	CSA-4, it is estimated that the contract execution-to-date revenues, excluding tax and franchise fees,
19	that would have been produced by the application of Gulf Power's otherwise applicable standard tariff
20	rates to the pre-contract load would have been the second second than the revenues actually
21	received by Gulf Power pursuant to the executed CSA. For CSA-5, it is estimated that the contract
22	execution-to-date revenues, excluding tax and franchise fees, that would have been produced by the
23	application of Gulf Power's otherwise applicable standard tariff rates to the pre-contract load would
24	have been the first than the revenues actually received by Gulf Power pursuant to
25	the executed CSA. For CSA-6, it is estimated that the contract execution-to-date revenues, excluding tax
26	and franchise fees, that would have been produced by the application of Gulf Power's otherwise
27	applicable standard tariff rates to the pre-contract load would have
28	than the revenues actually received by Gulf Power pursuant to the executed CSA. For CSA-7, it is
29	estimated that the contract execution-to-date revenues, excluding tax and franchise fees, that would
30	have been produced by the application of Gulf Power's otherwise applicable standard tariff rates to the
31	pre-contract load would have been to be the second than the revenues actually received
32	by Gulf Power pursuant to the executed CSA.

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EXHIBIT "C"

Reporting Month: December 2019

Line(s) Justification

Lines 16, 17, 20, 24, 27 and	This information is entitled to confidential classification
31	pursuant to 366.093(3) and (e), Florida Statues. The basis for
As highlighted	this information being designated as confidential is more fully
	set forth in paragraph 2.