

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

AUGUST 17, 1999

RE: DOCKET NO. 990315-EI - Petition by Gulf Power Company for approval of Rate Schedule Real Time Pricing Conservation Program (RTP).

Issue 1: Should the Commission approve Gulf Power Company's proposed Real Time Pricing rate schedule tariffs?

Recommendation: Yes. However, such approval should not constitute a determination that the rate is a cost-effective conservation program whose costs are appropriate for recovery through the Energy Conservation Cost Recovery Clause. Gulf should be required to file on a quarterly basis certain information on the rate, as discussed in the analysis portion of staff's August 5, 1999 memorandum. In addition, any proposed changes to the manner in which the RTP prices are determined (other than the updating of the "M" multipliers to reflect new lambda forecasts) must be filed with the Commission for approval.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

[Handwritten signatures in the majority column]

REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

Commissioner Johnson participated by telephone and agreed with the majority decision. She will sign the vote sheet upon her return.

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Issue 2: What is the appropriate effective date for the proposed tariffs?

Recommendation: ~~August 17, 1999.~~

September 1

APPROVED *with noted modification by
Staff at Conference.*

Issue 3: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes, if no protest is filed within 21 days of issuance of the order.

APPROVED