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TO: Kay Flynn, Division of Records and Reporting

FROM: Pete Lester, Division of Auditing and Financial Analysis

RE: Docket No. 960835-EI, Gulf Power Company and The Southern Company, Intent to

Request Confidential Classification

Gulf Power Company and its parent company, The Southern Company, have requested confidential classification for the Form U-9C-3, which is filed as required with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Section 366.093 (3)(e), Florida Statutes, considers proprietary confidential business information to be information relating to competitive interests where the disclosure of the information would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. Staff has reviewed the documents listed below, and these documents may be returned to the company.

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cc: Division of Legal Services

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