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- C. Gulf Power Company
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Dear Ms. Cole:

RE: Docket No. 090169-El

Enclosed is Gulf Power Company's Request for Extended Confidential Classification regarding certain information contained in a purchased power agreement in the above-referenced docket.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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IN RE: Petition for Approval of Purchased Power) Docket No.: 090169 - EI Agreement between Gulf Power Company) And Shell Energy North America (U.S.) LP) October 27, 2010

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In re: Petition for Approval of Purchased Power Agreement between Gulf Power Company and Shell Energy North America (US), L.P., dated March 16, 2009

Docket No.: 090169-EI

Date: October 27, 2010

REQUEST FOR EXTENDED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

GULF POWER COMPANY ["Gulf Power", "Gulf", or the "Company"], by and through its undersigned attorneys and pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby files a request that the Florida Public Service Commission enter an order granting extended confidential classification for certain information contained in a purchased power agreement between Shell Energy North America (US), L.P. ("Shell") and Gulf Power. As grounds for this request, the Company states:

- On April 6, 2009, Gulf Power filed its initial request for confidential classification 1. of certain information contained in a purchased power agreement between Shell and Gulf Power. (Document No. 03001-09)
- 2. On May 1, 2009, the Commission entered an order granting Gulf Power's request. See, PSC-09-0294-CFO-EI (the "Order").
- As provided in section 366.093(4), Florida Statutes, and by the Commission's 3. Order, the confidential information will be made public after a period of 18 months unless Gulf or another affected party shows, and the Commission finds, that the confidential information warrants extended confidential treatment. The 18-month period expires on November 1, 2010.
- Gulf hereby requests that the Commission enter an order extending the 4. confidential classification of the information described in Exhibit "A" to the Commission's Order for an additional 18-month period.

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- 5. The Shell/Gulf Power PPA is still in effect and the specified portions of the PPA are entitled to continued confidential classification for the same reasons they were initially classified. As stated in Gulf's initial confidentiality request, portions of information contained in the PPA constitute proprietary confidential business information in the form of (i) information concerning bids or other contractual data the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of Gulf Power to contract for goods and/or services on favorable terms, and (ii) information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the business of the provider of the information. The confidential information is entitled to confidential classification pursuant to section 366.093(3)(d) and (e), Florida Statutes. The confidential information can generally be broken down into the following categories:
 - (a) pricing and/or payment terms;
 - (b) logistical, operational and/or maintenance data or procedures;
 - (c) equipment characteristics/specifications; and
 - (d) financial data.

Disclosure of this information would impair ability of Gulf Power, Shell and/or the Owner to compete in the marketplace, and could negatively impact Gulf Power's ability to negotiate contract terms favorable to its customers in the future.

- 6. The information filed pursuant to this Request is intended to be, and is treated as, confidential by the Gulf Power, Shell and the Owner and, to this attorney's knowledge, has not been otherwise publicly disclosed.
- 7. The confidential information was attached as Exhibit "A" to Gulf's initial request for confidential classification and is identified as Document No. 03002-09.

WHEREFORE, Gulf Power Company respectfully requests that the Commission enter an order protecting the information highlighted on Exhibit "A" (Document No. 03002-09) from public disclosure for an additional period of eighteen (18) months.

Respectfully submitted this 27th day of October, 2010.

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