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Ms. Carlotta Stauffer, Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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RE: Docket No. 150001-EI

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

Attached for electronic filing is Gulf Power Company's Notice of Areas of Expert Witness Expertise in the above-referenced docket.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert L. McGee, Jr." in a cursive script.

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Attachments

cc: Beggs and Lane
Jeffrey A. Stone, Esq.

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Fuel and Purchased Power Cost)
Recovery Clauses and Generating) Docket No. 150001-EI
Performance Incentive Factor) Date Filed: October 14, 2015

**GULF POWER COMPANY'S NOTICE OF AREAS
OF EXPERT WITNESS EXPERTISE**

Gulf Power Company, ("Gulf Power", "Gulf", or "the Company"), by and through its undersigned attorneys, files this Notice of Areas of Expert Witness Expertise, saying:

1. On October 9, 2015, the Florida Industrial Power Users Group filed its Prehearing Statement and objected to any witness being considered an expert witness unless the witness affirmatively stated the subject matter areas in which they claim expertise.

2. Although Gulf Power believes that the qualifications, areas of expertise and subject matter of each of its witnesses' testimony is clearly identified in its Prehearing Statement and the pre-filed testimony submitted by its witnesses, the Company offers the following statements of witness expertise as confirmation in response to the objection raised by the Florida Industrial Power Users Group:

A. H. R. Ball is qualified as an expert witness through his knowledge, skill, experience, training and education, and will testify, on the subject matter of Issue Nos. 1D, 1E, 5A, 5B, 7, 8, 28, 31 and 32, namely: the procurement and budgeting associated with Gulf's fuel, energy and capacity in the Commission's fuel adjustment clause and purchased power capacity cost recovery factors ; the operation and results of Gulf Power Company's natural gas financial hedging activities; and the development, details and execution of Gulf Power Company's 2014, 2015 and 2016 Risk Management Plans.

B. C. Shane Boyett is qualified as an expert witness through his knowledge, skill, experience, training and education, and will testify as an expert, on the subject matter of Issue Nos. 7-12, 19-23 and 28-36, namely: accounting for the historical and projected costs of fuel and purchased power, the operation and calculations associated with the Commission's fuel adjustment clause and purchased power capacity cost recovery factors; the appropriate effective date of fuel adjustment and purchased power capacity cost recovery factors for 2016; and the tariff approval process.

C. C. L. Nicholson is qualified as an expert witness through his knowledge, skill, experience, training and education, and will testify, on the subject matter of Issue Nos. 17 and 18, namely: the calculation of GPIF rewards and penalties, and GPIF targets and ranges.

3. Gulf proffers this notice as an affirmative statement of the subject matter of its witnesses' expertise for the purpose of this proceeding. The witnesses are prepared to confirm the statements of expertise in this notice when they take the stand.

Dated this 14th day of October, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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