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Ms. Susan D. Ritenour
Gulf Power Company
One Energy Place
Pensacola, FL 32520-0730

STAFF'S FIRST DATA REQUEST

Re: Docket No. 100165-EI - Request to revise 2010 overhead/underground residential differential cost data by Gulf Power Company.

Dear Ms. Ritenour:

By this letter, the Commission staff requests that Gulf Power Company or (GULF) provide responses to the following data requests.

1. Please provide a list of all the design changes since the 2009 filing in Docket No. 090173-EI, and describe their impact on the differential.
2. Please explain why overhead and underground labor costs decreased (prior to the addition of the Engineering & Staff adder) since the 2009 filing.
3. Please explain why the engineering adder increased from 21.9 percent (in Docket No. 090173-EI) to 44 percent.
4. Please provide an explanation for the decrease in the low density subdivision per lot charge, while the per lot charge increases for the high density subdivision.
5. Please discuss all changes since the 2009 filing in the calculation of the overhead and underground lines operating cost multiplier.

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Please file the original and five copies of the requested information by Wednesday, June 24, 2010, with Ms. Ann Cole, Commission Clerk, Office of Commission Clerk, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-0850. Please feel free to call me at (850) 413-6234 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ralph Jaeger". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over a white background.

Ralph Jaeger
Senior Attorney

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk
Division of Economic regulation (Draper)