

**STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

GULF POWER COMPANY (Scholz Electric)
Generation Plant),)

Petitioner,)

v.)

**STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF)
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION,**)

Respondent.)

DEP OGC CASE No. 04-1310

File No. FL0002283-003-IWIS

**ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL
EXTENSION OF TIME TO PETITION FOR HEARING**

This matter has come before the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) on receipt of a timely request from the Petitioner GULF POWER COMPANY on behalf of its Scholz Electric Generation Plant for an additional enlargement of time in which to file a petition for administrative hearing with respect to DEP File No. FL0002283-003-IWIS. *See* Exhibit 1. The request shows good cause and, therefore,

IT IS ORDERED:

The request for an additional extension of time to file a petition for administrative proceeding is granted. Petitioner shall have until July 22, 2005, in which to file a petition in this matter. Filing shall be complete on receipt by the Office of General Counsel, Department of Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station 35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000.

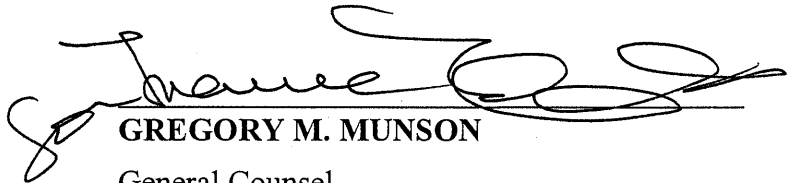
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DONE AND ORDERED this 21st day of June, 2005, in Tallahassee, Florida.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY this 21st day of June, 2005, that a true copy of the foregoing

“Order” has been mailed to:

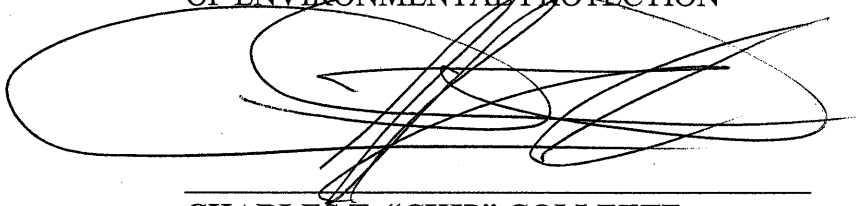
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June 10, 2005

Via Hand Delivery

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RE: Request for Enlargement of Time
Gulf Power Company
Crist Electric Generating Plant
DEP File No. FL0002275-005 - IWIS

Dear Ms. Carter:

Pursuant to Rule 62-110.106(4), Fla. Admin. Code, please accept for filing with the Department this request for enlargement of time, to and including July 15, 2005, to initiate administrative proceedings pursuant to Section 120.569 and 120.57, Florida Statutes, with regard to the Department's renewal of the permit No. FL0002275 for Gulf Power Company's Crist Electric Generating Plant. Gulf Power Company received the Intent to Issue the renewal permit on February 25, 2005. Good cause for granting an enlargement of time, through and including July 15, 2005, is as follows:

1. Additional time is required to review and analyze the named permit and accompanying Administrative Order.
2. Additional time is required to address, through informal discussions with the Department, Gulf Power Company's concerns regarding the referenced agency action.
3. An enlargement of time would provide an opportunity for consensus resolution of areas of disagreement without resorting to administrative litigation.

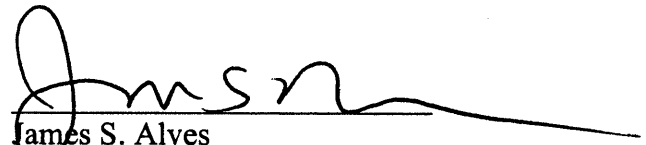
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For the foregoing reasons, Gulf Power Company requests that the deadline for filing a petition initiating administrative proceedings in regard to the referenced agency action be extended through July 15, 2005.

Very truly yours,

HOPPING GREEN & SAMS



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Allen Hubbard, DEP