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October 26, 2016

Mr. Michael Yox Regulatory Affairs Director Southern Nuclear Operating Company 7825 River Road Waynesboro, GA 30830

SUBJECT: SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY VOGTLE ELECTRIC

GENERATING PLANT UNITS 3 AND 4 - U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY

COMMISSION SECURITY BASELINE INSPECTION REPORT 05200025/2016403

AND 05200026/2016403

Dear Mr. Yox:

On September 29, 2016, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a security baseline inspection at your Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Units 3 and 4. The enclosed inspection report documents the inspection results that were discussed on September 29, 2016, with you and other members of your staff.

The inspection examined activities conducted under your combined license (COL) as they relate to security and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations, and with the conditions of your license. The inspectors reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel.

No NRC-identified or self-revealing findings were identified during the inspection.

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Sincerely,

/RA/

Binoy B. Desai, Chief Plant Support Branch 2 Division of Reactor Safety

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