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ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD PANEL

Before the Licensing Board:

G. Paul Bollwerk, III, Chairman
Nicholas G. Trikouros
Dr. James Jackson

In the Matter of

SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING CO.

(Early Site Permit for Vogtle ESP Site)

Docket No. 52-011-ESP

ASLBP No. 07-850-01-ESP-BD01

January 16, 2007

ORDER

(Granting in Part Motion for Time Extension
to File Reply Pleading)

Upon consideration of the January 12, 2007 motion of the Joint Petitioners¹ for an extension of time until January 26, 2006, within which to file their 10 C.F.R. § 2.309(h)(2) reply to the January 10, 2007 answers of applicant Southern Nuclear Operating Company (SNC) and the NRC staff to their December 11, 2006 petition to intervene in this proceeding, including the representation in the Joint Petitioners motion that SNC and the staff have no objection to a filing extension until January 22, 2007, it is

¹ The Joint Petitioners include the Center for a Sustainable Coast, Savannah Riverkeeper, Southern Alliance for Clean Energy, Atlanta Women's Action for New Directions, and Blue Ridge Environmental Defense League.

ORDERED, that the Joint Petitioners January 12, 2007 time extension motion is granted in part in that they shall have up to and including Wednesday, January 24, 2007, within which to file their replies to the SNC and staff answers to their intervention petition.²

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY
AND LICENSING BOARD³

/RA/

G. Paul Bollwerk, III
CHAIRMAN

Rockville, Maryland

January 16, 2007

² All participants are reminded that the address for e-mail service on Judge Jackson is jackson538@comcast.net.

³ Copies of this memorandum and order were sent this date by Internet e-mail transmission and the agency's E-Submittal system to counsel for (1) applicant SNC; (2) the Joint Petitioners; and (3) the staff.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing LB ORDER (GRANTING IN PART MOTION FOR TIME EXTENSION TO FILE REPLY PLEADING) have been served upon the following persons by Electronic Information Exchange and/or electronic mail.

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