



Attachment 2 Contains SCE&G Proprietary Information

February 4, 2008
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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

Attention: Mr. Thomas A. Bergman

Dear Mr. Bergman:

Subject: Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station Units 2 and 3
Project No. 743
Update on Submittal of a Combined License Application (COLA) for Virgil C.
Summer Nuclear Station (VCSNS) Units 2 and 3

The attached statement (Attachment 2) summarizes our recent discussion concerning planning for submittal of a COLA and contains information which is considered company confidential. As such, SCE&G requests that it be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10CFR2.390(a)(4).

The affidavit to support this request is also provided (Attachment 1).

Very truly yours,

Stephen A. Byrne

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Attachments

1. SCE&G Affidavit to Request Withholding of Proprietary Information from Public Disclosure
2. SCE&G's Statement Concerning An Update to the Plans for Submittal of a COLA

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SOUTH CAROLINA ELECTRIC & GAS COMPANY

Request to Withhold Proprietary Information from Public Disclosure

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company, a South Carolina corporation, hereby requests that Attachment 2 to the letter entitled "Update to the Plans for Submittal of a COLA" dated February 4, 2008, be withheld from public disclosure due to its proprietary nature. The details of this request are provided in the following affidavit:

AFFIDAVIT

I, Stephen A. Byrne, being duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

- (1) I am Senior Vice President of Generation and Chief Nuclear Officer, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G) and have been delegated the function of reviewing the information described in paragraph (2) which is sought to be withheld, and have been authorized to apply for its withholding.
- (2) The information sought to be withheld consists of a statement concerning plans for submittal of a COLA. This one-page document has the words "SCE&G Proprietary Information" on the bottom of the page.
- (3) In making this application for withholding of proprietary information of which it is the owner, SCE&G relies upon the exemption from disclosure set forth in the NRC regulation 10 CFR 2.390(a)(4) for confidential financial information.
- (4) Justification for the request for withholding from public disclosure is provided by addressing the five items identified in 10 CFR 2.390(b)(4).

To the best of my knowledge and belief:

- a. This information is considered company confidential and has been held in confidence by SCE&G.
- b. This information is of the type customarily held in confidence by SCE&G and the rationale is that a premature release might provide information concerning activities which could materially affect the future financial condition of the company.
- c. This information is transmitted in confidence to the NRC and the purpose of this request is to maintain its confidentiality.

- d. The statement concerning plans for a future COLA submittal is not available from public sources.
- e. Public disclosure of the information sought to be withheld is likely to cause harm to SCE&G's competitive position. At the appropriate time, SCE&G will make the information public in compliance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations.

This letter contains no restricted or other defense information.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

SOUTH CAROLINA ELECTRIC & GAS
COMPANY

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Executed on

By

Stephen A. Byrne

Stephen A. Byrne
Senior Vice President, Generation