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Southern Nuclear Operating Company
Vogtle Early Site Permit Application
Response to Advanced Safety Evaluation Report

Ladies and Gentlemen:

By letter dated November 12, 2008, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) provided Southern Nuclear Operating Company (SNC) with an advanced safety evaluation report (SER) for the Vogtle Early Site Permit (ESP) Application and associated limited work authorization (LWA) request. In that letter, the NRC also requested that SNC review the SER and verify that the SER does not contain any information for which an exemption from public disclosure is sought. SNC has performed such a review and concludes that no exemption from public disclosure for SER information is sought.

If you have questions or require additional information, please contact J. T. Davis at (205) 992-7692.

Respectfully submitted,

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