

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY
Docket Nos. 52-025-COL and 52-026-COL

ASLBP No.09-873-01-COL-BD01

ESTABLISHMENT OF ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Pursuant to delegation by the Commission dated December 29, 1972, published in the Federal Register, 37 Fed. Reg. 28,710 (1972), and the Commission's regulations, see 10 C.F.R. §§ 2.104, 2.300, 2.303, 2.309, 2.311, 2.318, and 2.321, notice is hereby given that an Atomic Safety and Licensing Board (Board) is being established to preside over the following proceeding:

SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY
(Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Units 3 and 4)

This proceeding concerns a Petition to Intervene from the Atlanta Women's Action for New Directions (Atlanta, WAND), Blue Ridge Environmental Defense League (BREDL), Center for a Sustainable Coast (CSC), Savannah Riverkeeper, and Southern Alliance for Clean Energy (SACE), which was submitted in response to a September 16, 2008 Notice of Hearing and Opportunity to Petition for Leave to Intervene on a Combined License for the Vogtle Electric Generating Plant Units 3 and 4 (73 Fed. Reg. 53,446). The Petition to Intervene challenges the application filed by Southern Nuclear Operating Company pursuant to Subpart C of 10 C.F.R. Part 52 for a combined license for Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Units 3 and 4, which would be located in Burke County, Georgia.

The Board is comprised of the following administrative judges:

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All correspondence, documents, and other materials shall be filed in accordance with the NRC E-Filing rule, which the NRC promulgated in August 2007 (72 Fed. Reg. 49,139).

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E. Roy Hawkens
Chief Administrative Judge
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Issued at Rockville, Maryland,
this 2nd day of December 2008.

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COMPANY) and 52-026-COL
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(Vogtle))
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(Combined Operating License))

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing (ESTABLISHMENT OF ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD) have been served upon the following persons by Electronic Information Exchange.

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