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> Southern Nuclear Operating Company Vogtle Electric Generating Plant Units 3 and 4 Combined License Application Future Incorporation of Vogtle Early Site Permit Application (ESPA) Revision 5

Ladies and Gentlemen:

By letter dated March 28, 2008, Southern Nuclear Operating Company (SNC) submitted an application for combined licenses (COLs) for proposed Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Units 3 and 4 to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) for two Westinghouse AP1000 reactor plants, in accordance with 10 CFR Part 52. This submittal incorporated by reference Revision 4 of the Vogtle Early Site Permit Application (ESPA).

By letter dated December 23, 2008, SNC submitted Revision 5 of the Vogtle ESPA to the NRC. This letter serves to inform the NRC of SNC's intent to incorporate by reference Revision 5 of the Vogtle ESPA in the next revision to the COL application.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. Wes Sparkman at (205) 992-5061.

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Mr. J. A. (Buzz) Miller states he is a Senior Vice President of Southern Nuclear Operating Company, is authorized to execute this oath on behalf of Southern Nuclear Operating Company and to the best of his knowledge and belief, the facts set forth in this letter are true.

Respectfully submitted,

SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY

Joseph A. (Buzz) Miller

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 Rd day of December, 2008

Notary Public: Charlette a. Grahan

My commission expires: $\frac{6/9/12}{}$

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