

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD PANEL

Before the Licensing Board:

Michael M. Gibson, Chairman
Dr. Gary S. Arnold
Dr. Randall J. Charbeneau

In the Matter of

SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT NUCLEAR
OPERATING COMPANY

(South Texas Project Units 3 and 4)

Docket Nos. 52-012-COL and 52-013-COL

ASLBP No. 09-885-08-COL-BD01

December 14, 2009

ORDER

(Granting Intervenors' Request to Extend Time for Filing New Contentions)

On December 10, 2009, Intervenors moved for an additional nine days to file new contentions related to the Applicant's submittals concerning Contentions 8, 9, and 14.¹ This Board hereby extends the time required for Intervenors' new contentions, which will now be due on December 23, 2009.

¹ Intervenors' Motion for Additional Time to File New Contentions Related to Applicant's Submittals Concerning Contentions 8, 9 & 14 (Dec. 10, 2009).

In light of this enlargement afforded the Intervenors, it is appropriate to extend additional time to the Applicant and the NRC Staff for filing their answers to the new contentions, which will now be due on January 25, 2010.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY
AND LICENSING BOARD

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Michael M. Gibson
CHAIRMAN

Rockville, Maryland
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