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Southern Nuclear Operating Company
Vogtle Electric Generating Plant Units 3 and 4
Supplement to Request for License Amendment:
Enclosures for Class 1E Electrical Penetrations in Middle Annulus (LAR-13-023S)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

By letter dated April 18, 2014 [ADAMS Accession No. ML14108A196], Southern Nuclear Operating Company (SNC), the licensee for Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Units 3 and 4, submitted a license amendment request (LAR) for VEGP Units 3 and 4, Combined License (COL) Numbers NPF-91 and NPF-91, respectively. The proposed amendment, LAR-13-023 as supplemented, would depart from VEGP Units 3 and 4 plant-specific Design Control Document (DCD) Tier 2* material contained within the Updated Final Safety Analysis Report (UFSAR) by eliminating the Division A fire zone enclosure and adding three new fire zones for Divisions B, C, and D Class 1E electrical penetration rooms.

This supplement to LAR-13-023 addresses a comment provided by the NRC Staff in a public meeting on July 10, 2014, regarding the scope of the changes described in Enclosure 1 of the submittal. Specifically, on page 3 of 12 of Enclosure 1, the last paragraph states "The extension of these fire areas into the middle annulus is not currently reflected on UFSAR Figure 9A-1 (Sheets 5, 6 of 16)." Because no changes are proposed to UFSAR Figure 9A-1 (Sheet 6 of 16) in the LAR, the NRC Staff requested clarification regarding whether or not there should be any changes to this particular figure. The requested clarification is that the Division A penetration is being changed such that an enclosure is not required; therefore, no change is needed or proposed to Sheet 6 of UFSAR Figure 9A-1 in LAR-13-023.

The information provided in this supplement does not change the scope of, nor affect the Technical Evaluation or the conclusion of the Significant Hazards Consideration determination in the original license amendment request (LAR-13-023) submitted on April 18, 2014. This letter contains no regulatory commitments.

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.91, SNC is notifying the State of Georgia of this LAR supplement by transmitting a copy of this letter to the designated State Official.

Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. Jason Redd at (205) 992-6435.

Ms. Amy G. Aughtman states that: she is a Licensing Manager of Southern Nuclear Operating Company; she is authorized to execute this oath on behalf of Southern Nuclear Operating Company; and to the best of her knowledge and belief, the facts set forth in this letter are true.

Respectfully submitted,

SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY



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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of July, 2014

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