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Vogtle Electric Generating Plant Units 3 and 4
Response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2016-08

Ladies and Gentlemen:

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If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Jason Redd at (205) 992-6435.

Respectfully submitted,

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Question for COL license holders:

How many licensing actions (e.g., license amendment requests, exemption requests, and relief requests) would you expect to submit to the NRC during FY 2019 through FY 2021 time frame?

Answer: SNC provides the following estimates by fiscal year of Licensing Actions that may be required as the construction effort continues for the Vogtle 3 and 4 Project. These values are subject to change.

2016 (32)
2017 (48)
2018 (48)
2019 (20)
2020 (20)
2021 (20)