

SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY, INC.

GEORGIA POWER COMPANY

OGLETHORPE POWER CORPORATION

MEAG POWER SPVM, LLC

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CITY OF DALTON, GEORGIA

DOCKET NO. 52-025

VOGTLE ELECTRIC GENERATING PLANT UNIT 3

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY COMBINED LICENSE

Amendment No. 77
License No. NPF-91

1. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Southern Nuclear Operating Company (licensee), dated March 4, 2016, as supplemented by letter dated January 31, 2017, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will be constructed and will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission;
 - C. There is reasonable assurance (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations;
 - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

2. Accordingly, the license is amended to authorize changes to the Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Unit 3, Emergency Action Levels as described in the license amendment request dated March 4, 2016, as supplemented by letter dated January 31, 2017. Also, as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, Facility Combined License No. NPF-91, paragraphs 2.D(8) and 2.D(12)(d) are hereby amended to read as follows:

2.D(8) Incorporation

The Technical Specifications, Environmental Protection Plan, and ITAAC in Appendices A, B, and C, respectively of this license, as revised through Amendment No. 77, are hereby incorporated into this license

2.D(12)(d)

No later than 180 days before initial fuel load, SNC shall submit to the Director of NRO, or the Director's designee, in writing, a fully developed set of plant-specific emergency action levels (EALs) for VEGP Unit 3 in accordance with the criteria defined in Amendment No. 77. The EALs shall have been discussed and agreed upon with State and local officials.

No later than 180 days before initial fuel load, SNC shall submit to the Director of NRO, or the Director's designee, in writing, an assessment of emergency response staffing performed in accordance with NEI 10-05, "Assessment of On-Shift Emergency Response Organization Staffing and Capabilities," Revision 0.

3. This license amendment is effective as of the date of its issuance and shall be implemented within 60 days of the date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION:

/RA/

Vonna L. Ordaz, Acting Director
Office of New Reactors

Date of Issuance: May 18, 2017

Attachment:
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