

Security-Related Information - Withhold from public disclosure under 10 CFR 2.390



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Southern Nuclear Operating Company
Vogtle Electric Generating Plant Units 3 & 4
Reply to a Notice of Violation; EA-16-198

Ladies and Gentlemen:

By letter dated May 12, 2017, titled "Vogtle Electric Generating Plant Units 3 and 4 – NRC Security Inspection Reports 05200025/2017401, 05200026/2017401 and Notice of Violation," the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) notified Southern Nuclear Operating Company (SNC) of a Severity Level IV violation.

The enclosed Reply to a Notice of Violation contains Security-Related Information; therefore, it should not be made publically available in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390(d)(1) as described in EA-16-198. Additionally, the NRC waived the affidavit requirements for this response in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390(b)(1)(ii). The enclosure to this letter contains SNC's response to Notice of Violation, EA-16-198, and includes: (1) the reason for the violation; (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved; (3) the corrective steps that will be taken; and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

This letter contains no NRC commitments.

If you have any questions, please contact Michael J. Yox at 706-848-6459.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark D. Rauckhorst".

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