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Docket Nos. 31958 and 32539

DOCKET # 31958, 32539  
DOCKET # 139739, 139740

In Re: Georgia Power Company's Rate Case in Docket No. 31958 and  
Georgia Power Company's Nuclear Construction Cost Recovery  
Schedule in Docket No. 32539

### ORDER APPROVING THE DSM-R-3, DSM-C-2, AND NCCR-2 TARIFFS

On November 1, 2011, Georgia Power Company ("Georgia Power") filed updated Demand Side Management ("DSM") Residential ("DSM-R-3") and Commercial ("DSM-C-2") tariffs for approval. The two DSM tariffs will collect an additional \$16,732,281. In its filing, Georgia Power also updated the Nuclear Construction Cost Recovery ("NCCR-2") tariff set to collect \$258,647,407. This amount represents the projected 2012 financing costs associated with Plant Vogtle Units 3 and 4, in addition to the preliminary true-up of the 2011 financing costs. The proposed effective date of all three tariffs is January 1, 2012.

#### Background

##### DSM

The Stipulation approved by the Georgia Public Service Commission ("Commission") in Docket No. 31958 paragraph 9(a) states, "Effective January 1, 2012, the DSM Tariffs shall be increased by \$16.735 million...." The DSM-R-3 tariff collects projected program costs for the certified Residential DSM programs as well as the additional sum amount for these programs. The proposed rate for this tariff will be 1.9126% of the base revenue. The current (2011) percentage is 1.6273% of base revenue.

The DSM-C-2 will collect projected program costs for the certified Commercial DSM programs as well as the additional sum amount for these programs. The proposed rate for this tariff will be 1.0795% of the base bill calculation which excludes Real Time Pricing ("RTP") incremental usage and is applied to 65% of the base bill calculations for bills rendered using the Fixed Pricing Alternative ("FPA-4"). The current (2011) percentage is .3831% of base revenue.

**NCCR**

The Commission's Order dated December 30, 2010 in Docket Nos. 31958 and 32539 approved the first NCCR tariff. The proposed rate for the updated NCCR tariff will be 6.4362% of the base bill calculation which excludes RTP incremental usage and is applied to 65% of the base bill calculation for bills rendered using the FPA-4 proposed. The current NCCR percentage is 5.8619%.

Staff recommended approval of the DSM-R-3, DSM-C-2, and NCCR-2 tariffs as filed with an effective date of January 1, 2012. The Commission finds and concludes that the tariff updates are in compliance with the Commission's Order in Docket Nos. 31958 and 32539 and O.C.G.A. § 46-2-25(c.1).

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**WHEREFORE IT IS ORDERED**, that the updated DSM-R-3, DSM-C-2, and NCCR-2 tariffs are approved with an effective date of January 1, 2012.

**ORDERED FURTHER**, that all findings, conclusions, statements, and directives made by the Commission and contained in the foregoing sections of this Order are hereby adopted as findings of fact, conclusions of law, statements of regulatory policy, and orders of this Commission.

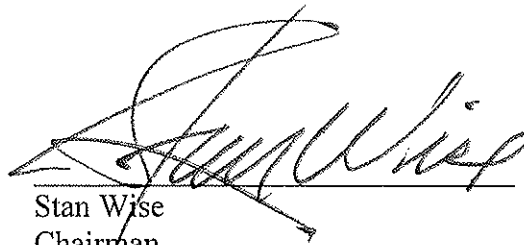
**ORDERED FURTHER**, that a motion for reconsideration, rehearing, or oral argument or any other motion shall not stay the effective date of this Order, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

**ORDERED FURTHER**, that jurisdiction over these matters is expressly retained for the purpose of entering such further Order or Orders as this Commission may deem just and proper.

The above by action of the Commission at its Administrative Session on the 20th day of December, 2011.



Reece McAlister  
Executive Secretary



Stan Wise  
Chairman

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Date

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BEFORE THE GEORGIA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	
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Georgia Power Company's	)	Docket No. 31958
2010 Rate Case	)	
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Georgia Power Company's	)	Docket No. 32539
Nuclear Construction Cost Recovery Schedule	)	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing **Order Approving the DSM-R-3, DSM-C-2, and NCCR-2 Tariffs** in the above-referenced docket was filed with the Commission's Executive Secretary, and a copy of same was served upon all parties and persons listed below via hand-delivery where indicated by an asterisk, or by depositing same in the United States mail with sufficient postage thereon to insure delivery and addressed as follows:

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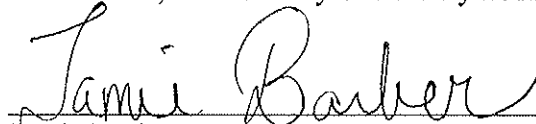
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