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March 22, 2017

Mr. Reece McAlister

Executive Secretary

Georgia Public Service Commission

244 Washington Street, SW

Atlanta, GA 30334-5701

**Re: Georgia Power Company’s 2016 Integrated Resource Plan and Application for Decertification of Plant Mitchell Units 3, 4A and 4B, Plant Kraft Unit 1 CT, and Intercession City CT; Docket No. 40161**

Dear Mr. McAlister:

Enclosed for filing pursuant to the Georgia Public Service Commission’s December 22, 2016, Order Approving Joint Recommendation Regarding the Renewable Cost Benefit Framework, are the original and 15 copies of Georgia Power Company’s “A Framework for Determining the Costs and Benefits of Renewable Resources in Georgia” (“Framework”) This document, filed originally in Technical Appendix Volume 1 to Georgia Power’s 2016 Integrated Resource Plan, has been modified to reflect the changes agreed upon by Staff and the Company.

Please note that the Framework is being filed Public Disclosure. Georgia Power is also filing Trade Secret and Public Disclosure versions of the updated Table 1 from the solar and wind analysis documents filed in Technical Appendix Volume 1 (entitled “The Costs and Benefits of Distributed Solar Generation in Georgia” and “The Costs and Benefits of Fixed and Variable Wind Delivered to Georgia,” respectively).

Should you have any questions, please call me at 404-506-3050.

Sincerely,

Kyle C. Leach

Vice President, Regulatory Affairs

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