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Ms. Sallie Tanner
Executive Secretary
Georgia Public Service Commission
244 Washington Street, SW
Atlanta, GA 30334-5701

RE: Notice to Commission of Transfer from Affiliate, Docket No. 9355

Dear Ms. Tanner:

In accordance with the Commission's Final Order in Docket No. 9355, Georgia Power Company ("Georgia Power" or the "Company") provides notice to the Georgia Public Service Commission ("Commission") of the Company's intention to purchase approximately 4,200 new mobile devices from Southern Linc. Because Southern Linc is an affiliate of Georgia Power, notice to the Commission is required. *Order Adopting Modified Stipulation*, Docket No. 9355-U (Dec. 21, 1998) ("Affiliate Transaction Standards"), Attachment 2 at 6, ¶ 15(b). Georgia Power intends to close this transaction after the sixty-day notice period runs. Approval by the Commission of this transaction is not required.

The purchase will facilitate Georgia Power's replacement of the rugged mobile handsets used by Generation and Power Delivery employees. The last generation of these devices was purchased in 2017 and those devices are nearing end-of-life. Linc will purchase the devices under an existing contract and sell them, at Linc's cost, to Georgia Power. Linc is able to obtain more competitive pricing for the devices and can ensure they are configured to operate on our LTE network. The total cost to Georgia Power for the approximately 4,200 devices and accessories is expected to be approximately $2.6 million. The purchase price for this transfer is cost-based and, therefore, consistent with the Affiliate Transaction Standards approved by the Commission in Docket No. 9355.

The Company's purchase will enable our workforce to deliver clean, safe, reliable, and affordable energy to customers, facilitating their critical communications. The transaction is priced fairly, is in the public interest, and does not harm customers.

Please call me at 404-506-3044 if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

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