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

RE: Georgia Power Company's 2029-2031 All-Source Capacity Request for Proposals, Docket No. 55268

Dear Ms. Tanner:

In compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's (the "Commission") Rules regarding Requests for Proposals ("RFP") and the Commission's July 29, 2022 Order Adopting Stipulation in Georgia Power Company's ("Georgia Power" or the "Company") 2022 Integrated Resource Plan, Docket No. 44160, enclosed for filing are drafts of Georgia Power's Pro Forma Power Purchase Agreements ("PPA") for the All-Source Capacity RFP for 2029-2031. Along with the draft All Source Capacity RFP Document, which was filed and provided to Commission Staff and the Independent Evaluator ("IE") on February 26, 2024, the draft Pro Forma PPAs have been posted to the IE Website. Potential bidders and interested parties may submit comments and suggested revisions to the All-Source Capacity RFP and Pro Forma PPAs via the IE Website through 12:00 pm (noon) EST on March 29, 2024.

In addition, Georgia Power seeks Commission approval of two exceptions to the timelines proscribed in Commission's RFP Rules. First, Commission Rule 515-3-4-.04(3)(c)(3) provides that "[t]he IE shall be retained in time to begin service at least six months prior to the expected issuance of the RFP." The IE contract was executed on November 15, 2023 and the RFP Service Date was December 14, 2023, which marks the implementation and effectiveness of the Standards of Conduct and Communications Protocols in place for the All-Source Capacity RFP. Both of these dates are less than six months prior to the May 10, 2024 expected RFP Issuance Date. As such, the Company seeks Commission approval of this shortened timeline and exception to this requirement in Rule 515-3-4-.04(3)(c)(3).

Second, Commission Rule 515-3-4-.04(3)(e)(1)(ii) provides that "[n]o later than one hundred twenty (120) days prior to the planned issue date of the RFP, the soliciting entity will supply the draft of the RFP Document to the Staff and the IE." The draft RFP Document was provided to Staff and the IE on February 26, 2024 and the draft Pro Forma PPAs were provided today, March 8, 2024. Georgia Power provided the draft RFP Documents to Staff and the IE less than 120 days prior to the May 10, 2024 expected RFP Issuance Date. As such, the Company seeks Commission approval of this shortened timeline and exception to this requirement in Rule 515-3-4-.04(3)(e)(1)(ii).

The Company has worked diligently to expedite the development of the All-Source Capacity RFP and respectfully requests approval of the two RFP Rule timelines cited above.

If you have any questions about this filing, you can call me at 404-885-3779 or email me at allison.pryor@troutman.com.

Sincerely,

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