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Cc: Crew, James F.

Subject: Martin Revised Process Plan and Schedule

Attachments: February 16, 2009 Martin Revised Process Plan and Schedule.pdf

Attached is a filing we made with FERC on February 16, 2009 consisting of the revised process plan and schedule for the Martin Hydroelectric Project. If you have any questions, please let us know.

Thank you.

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February 16, 2009

VIA Electronic Filing

Ms. Kimberly D. Bose
Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N. E.
Washington, D.C. 20426

Dear Secretary Bose:

RE: Revised Process Plan and Schedule for the Martin Hydroelectric Project
(FERC No. 349-150)

Dear Secretary Bose,

On June 5, 2008, Alabama Power Company (Alabama Power) filed a Pre-Application Document (PAD) for the Martin Dam Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. 349-150), located on the Tallapoosa River in Elmore, Coosa and Tallapoosa Counties, Alabama. Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 5.6 (d) (1), included in the PAD was the Martin Process Plan and Schedule, which was approved by FERC and issued as Appendix A to the November 14, 2008, FERC Scoping Document (SD) 2 for the Martin Dam Project.

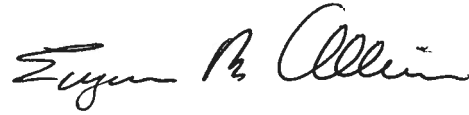
During development of the 21 Proposed Study Plans¹, Alabama Power determined that it incorrectly listed the date in the Process Plan and Schedule for the Director's Study Plan Determination as May 3, 2009. In accordance with 18 C.F.R § 5.13 (c), that date should be April 17, 2009. This error necessitated adjusting additional deadlines in the process and in Alabama Power's 21 study plans. In addition to correcting this error and reviewing each individual study plan schedule, Alabama Power has added more specificity to the deadline dates. We have improved our estimated study timeframes compared to those estimates contained in the original Process Plan and Schedule.

Therefore, Alabama Power is hereby filing for FERC approval, the attached Revised Appendix A, Martin Process Plan and Schedule, dated February 16, 2009. We affirm that this Revised Process Plan and Schedule accurately reflects the regulations at 18 C.F.R. §5, for the Integrated Licensing Process and our current knowledge of the study plans proposed for the Martin Project relicensing.

¹ Alabama Power filed 21 Proposed Study Plans with FERC on November 17, 2008.

Any questions regarding this filing and/or other related items should be addressed to Jim Crew at 205-257-4265 or jfcrew@southernco.com.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Eugene B. Allison". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Eugene" being the most prominent.

Eugene B. Allison
Hydro General Manager
Alabama Power Company

Attachment: Revised Appendix A - Martin Process Plan and Schedule

cc: Mr. Mark Pawlowski, FERC
Mr. Lee Emery, FERC
Martin Project Stakeholder List

**REVISED APPENDIX A
PROCESS PLAN AND SCHEDULE
February 16, 2009**

Below is the revised schedule for the Martin Dam Project pre-application activity.

Activity	Responsibility	Timeframe and Regulations	Dates
File NOI and Pre-Application Document (PAD)	Alabama Power Company	18 CFR § 5.5, 5.6	<i>June 5, 2008</i>
Initial Tribal Consultation Meeting	FERC	18 CFR § 5.7	<i>July 7, 2008</i>
Commission notices NOI/PAD and issues Scoping Document 1	FERC	Within 60 days of filing NOI & PAD 18 CFR § 5.8	<i>August 5, 2008</i>
Commission holds Scoping Meetings/Site Visit	FERC	Within 30 days of NOI & PAD notice & issuance of SD1 18 CFR § 5.8(b)(viii)	<i>September 10, 2008</i>
Comments on NOI, PAD, SD1, and Study Requests	All Stakeholders	Within 60 days of NOI & PAD notice & issuance of SD1 18 CFR § 5.9	<i>October 3, 2008</i>
Proposed Study Plan	Alabama Power Company	Within 45 days of deadline for filing comments on SD1 18 CFR § 5.11(a)	<i>November 17, 2008</i>
Study Plan Meeting(s)	All Stakeholders	Within 30 days of deadline for filing proposed Study Plan 18 CFR § 5.11(e)	<i>January 6, 2009 (week of)</i>
Comments on Proposed Study Plan	All Stakeholders	Within 90 days after Proposed Study Plan is filed 18 CFR § 5.12	<i>February 16, 2009</i>
Revised Study Plan (if necessary)	Alabama Power Company	Within 30 days of deadline for comments on Proposed Study Plan 18 CFR § 5.13(a)	<i>March 18, 2009</i>
Comments on Revised Study Plan	All Stakeholders	Within 15 days following Revised Study Plan 18 CFR § 5.13(b)	<i>April 2, 2009</i>

Activity	Responsibility	Timeframe and Regulations	Dates
Director's Study Plan Determination	FERC	Within 30 days following Revised Study Plan 18 CFR § 5.13(c)	<i>April 17, 2009</i>
Mandatory conditioning agencies file notice of study disputes, if applicable	Agencies with Mandatory Conditioning Authority	Within 20 of Director's Study Plan Determination	<i>May 7, 2009</i>
<i>Formal Study Dispute Resolution Process (if necessary)</i>	Stakeholders, FERC, Alabama Power Company	Study Dispute Resolution Process and Determination on Study Dispute 18 CFR § 5.14	<i>May 7 – July 16, 2009</i>
First Study Season	Alabama Power Company	Potential applicant must gather information and conduct studies as provided for in the approved study plan and schedule. 18 CFR § 5.15(a)	<i>2009 study season (April – October)</i>
Initial Study Report	Alabama Power Company	Pursuant to the Commission-Approved study plan and schedule provided in § 5.13 <u>OR</u> no later than 365 days from Study Determination 18 CFR § 5.15(c)(1)	<i>November 20, 2009</i>
Initial Study Report Meeting	All Stakeholders	Within 15 days from Initial Report 18 CFR § 5.15(c)(2)	<i>December 4, 2009</i>
Initial Study Report Meeting Summary	Alabama Power Company	Within 15 days following the Initial Study Report meeting 18 CFR § 5.15(c)(3)	<i>December 21, 2009</i>
Study Disputes/Request to Modify Study Plan	All Stakeholders	Within 30 days of Study Report Meeting Summary 18 CFR § 5.15(f)	<i>January 20, 2010</i>
Responses to Disputes/Study Requests	All Stakeholders	Within 30 days of filing of Meeting Summary Disagreements 18 CFR § 5.15(c) (5)	<i>February 19, 2010</i>

Activity	Responsibility	Timeframe and Regulations	Dates
Director's Resolution on Disagreement and Amended Study Plan Approval	FERC	Within 30 days of filing Responses to Disputes/Study Requests 18 CFR § 5.15(c)(5)	<i>March 22, 2010</i>
Second Study Season	Alabama Power Company	18 CFR § 5.15(a)	<i>2010 study season (April – August)</i>
Updated Study Report	Alabama Power Company	Pursuant to the Commission-Approved study plan and schedule provided in § 5.13 <u>OR</u> no later than two years after Commission approval of study plan and schedule 18 CFR § 5.15(f)	<i>September 1, 2010</i>
Updated Study Report Meeting	All Stakeholders	Within 15 days of Updated Study Report 18 CFR § 5.15(f)	<i>September 16, 2010</i>
Updated Study Report Meeting Summary	Alabama Power Company	Within 15 days of Study Results Meeting 18 CFR § 5.15(f)	<i>October 1, 2010</i>
Study Disputes/Request to Modify Study Plan	All Stakeholders	Within 30 days of Study Report Meeting Summary 18 CFR § 5.15(f)	<i>November 1, 2010</i>
Responses to Disputes/Study Requests	All Stakeholders	Within 30 days of filing of Meeting Summary Disagreements 18 CFR § 5.15(f)	<i>December 1, 2010</i>
Director's Resolution on Disagreement and Amended Study Plan Approval	FERC	Within 30 days of filing Responses to Disputes/Study Requests 18 CFR § 5.15(f)	<i>December 31, 2010</i>
File PLP	Alabama Power Company	No later than 150 days prior to the deadline for filing a new application 18 CFR § 5.16(a)	<i>January 7, 2011</i>

Activity	Responsibility	Timeframe and Regulations	Dates
Comments on Applicant's Preliminary Licensing Proposal, Additional Information Requests (if necessary)	All Stakeholders	Within 90 days of filing PLP or draft license application 18 CFR § 5.16(e)	<i>April 7, 2011</i>
License Application Filed	Alabama Power Company	18 CFR § 5.17	<i>June 8, 2011</i>