INFLOW DESIGN FLOOD CONTROL SYSTEM PLAN 40 C.F.R. PART 257.82 PLANT GADSDEN ASH POND ALABAMA POWER COMPANY

EPA's "Disposal of Coal Combustion Residuals from Electric Utilities" Final Rule (40 C.F.R. Part 257 and Part 261) subsection §257.82 requires the owner or operator of an existing or new CCR surface impoundment or any lateral expansion of a CCR surface impoundment to design, construct, operate and maintain an inflow design flood control system capable of adequately managing flow during and following the peak discharge of the specified inflow design flood. The owner or operator must prepare an inflow design flood system written plan documenting how the inflow design flood control system has been designed and constructed to meet the requirements of 40 C.F.R. Part 257 §257.82.

The Plant Gadsden Ash Pond has undergone physical closure activities and is in the process of completing the regulatory requirements of §257.102(d). It no longer impounds free water nor receives CCR. As such, the Gadsden Ash Pond no longer meets the definition of a CCR Surface Impoundment.

I hereby certify that the documentation above is accurate based on current available information.

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