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February 10, 2017

Mr. G. T. Powell Site Vice President STP Nuclear Operating Company P. O. Box 289 Wadsworth, TX 77483

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If you have any questions on the revised schedule, please contact Ms. Lois James,

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/RA by SDBloom for/

George A. Wilson, Jr., Director Division of License Renewal Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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Enclosure: Revised Schedule

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SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION **REVISION OF SCHEDULE**

Milestones	Schedule Date	Actual Date
Receive license renewal application (LRA)	10/26/2010	10/28/2010
Publish <i>Federal Register</i> Notice (FRN) - LRA receipt and availability	12/09/2010	12/09/2010
Publish FRN - LRA acceptability, environmental scoping period, and opportunity for hearing	01/13/2011	01/13/2011
Publish FRN - intent to conduct environmental scoping	01/31/2011	01/31/2011
Public Meeting - license renewal process and environmental scoping	03/02/2011	03/02/2011
Deadline for filing hearing requests and petitions for intervention	03/14/2011	03/14/2011
Environmental scoping periods ends	04/01/2011	04/01/2011
Audit - scoping and screening methodology	05/16/2011	05/20/2011
Audit - aging management programs (AMPs)	06/13/2011	06/24/2011
Audit - environmental	07/11/2011	07/11/2011
Inspection - scoping, screening, and AMPs	Aug-11	08/07/2011
Issue draft supplemental environmental impact statement (SEIS)	12/05/2012	12/05/2012
Public Meeting - draft SEIS	01/15/2013	01/15/2013
Issue safety evaluation report (SER) with open item(s)	02/15/13*	02/15/13*
End of comment period for the draft SEIS	02/22/2013	02/22/2013
Issue safety evaluation report (SER) with open item(s)	Oct-16	10/14/2016
ACRS subcommittee meeting on SER with open item(s)	Nov-16	11/18/2016
Issue final SEIS	11/2013**	11/2013**
Issue SER	06/2017	
ACRS full committee meeting on SER	07/2017	
NRR decision	09/2017	

*The Safety Review portion of the Schedule was paused from February 2013 through December 2013 at request of the applicant. ** NUREG-1437, Supplement 48, FINAL ERRATA was issued in June 2016.

Letter to G. T. Powell from G. A. Wilson dated February 10, 2017

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