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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

**[Docket No. EL18-43-000]**

**Alabama Power Company, Georgia Power Company, Gulf Power Company, Mississippi Power Company; Notice of Amended Petition for Declaratory Order**

Take notice that on November 15, 2018, pursuant to Rule 207(a)(2) of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.207(a)(2), Southern Company Services, Inc., acting as agent for Alabama Power Company, Georgia Power Company, Gulf Power Company, and Mississippi Power Company (collectively, Southern Companies), submitted an amendment to its petition for declaratory order and request to hold proceedings in abeyance, filed on November 28, 2017. In the amendment, Southern Companies requests that the Commission lift the abeyance in this proceeding and seeks declarations that: 1) those certain audit recommendations be set aside, and 2) Southern Companies' formula rate in its Open Access Transmission Tariff provide the requisite flexibility to make the ratemaking adjustment necessary to allow Southern Companies to avoid normalization violation, as more fully explained in the amended petition for declaratory order.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest in this proceeding must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the

appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Petitioners.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at <http://www.ferc.gov>. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an eSubscription link on the web site that enables subscribers to receive email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov). or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Comment Date: 5:00 pm Eastern time on December 6, 2018.

Dated: November 16, 2018.

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*Secretary.*

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