

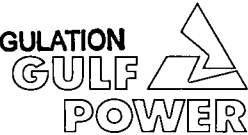
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July 27, 1999

Mr. Scott M. Sheplak, P.E.  
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Dear Mr. Sheplak:

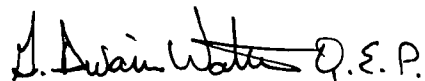
RE: Revised Title IV Phase II NO<sub>x</sub> Averaging Plan  
Plant Crist: 0330045-001-AV (ORIS Code 641)  
Plant Scholz: 0630014-001-AV (ORIS Code 642)  
Plant Lansing Smith: 0050014-001-AV (ORIS Code 643)

Attached, please find an original Designed Representative approved copy of a revised Southern Company System Phase II NO<sub>x</sub> Averaging Plan. This plan is effective January 1, 2000. This revision is being submitted pursuant to a request from Ms. Jenny Jachim at EPA Region IV to eliminate any confusion about several recent editorial changes for Plant Arkwright at Georgia Power. This revision changes the Emission Limitation (column a, page 3) from 0.40 to 0.50 for Units 3 and 4 and sets the ACELs (column b, page 3) for all four Arkwright units at 0.70.

Please note that these changes are small and do not effect the bottom line Btu-weighted annual emission rate in the previously submitted plan. EPA has indicated that the filing date is not an issue and that if any of the states have a question or if you would like to discuss this matter with EPA to call Ms. Jachim at (404) 562-9126.

Please let me know if you have any questions or if further information is needed to revise the above referenced Title IV and V permits.

Sincerely,



G. Dwain Waters, Q.E.P.  
Air Quality Programs Coordinator

8/4/99 cc: Scott Sheplak  
Jonathan Holton

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# Phase II NO<sub>x</sub> Averaging Plan

For more information, see instructions and refer to 40 CFR 76.11

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## STEP 1

Identify the units participating in this averaging plan by plant name, State, and boiler ID# from NADB. In column (a), fill in each unit's applicable emission limitation from 40 CFR 76.5, 76.6, or 76.7. In column (b), assign an alternative contemporaneous annual emissions limitation in lb/mmBtu to each unit. In column (c), assign an annual heat input limitation in mmBtu to each unit. Continue to page 3 if necessary.

Plant Name	State	ID#	(a) Emission Limitation	(b) Alt. Contemp. Emission Limitation	(c) Annual Heat Input Limit
See Page 3					

## STEP 2

Use the formula to enter the Btu-weighted annual emission rate averaged over the units if they are operated in accordance with the proposed averaging plan and the Btu-weighted annual average emission rate for the same units if they are operated in compliance with 40 CFR 76.5, 76.6, or 76.7. The former must be less than or equal to the latter.

Btu-weighted annual emission rate averaged over the units if they are operated in accordance with the proposed averaging plan

0.46

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (R_{Li} \times HI_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n HI_i}$$

Btu-weighted annual average emission rate for same units operated in compliance with 40 CFR 76.5, 76.6 or 76.7

0.46

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n [R_{Li} \times HI_i]}{\sum_{i=1}^n HI_i}$$

≤

Where,

- R<sub>Li</sub> = Alternative contemporaneous annual emission limitation for unit i, in lb/mmBtu, as specified in column (b) of Step 1;
- R<sub>i</sub> = Applicable emission limitation for unit i, in lb/mmBtu, as specified in column (a) of Step 1;
- HI<sub>i</sub> = Annual heat input for unit i, in mmBtu, as specified in column (c) of Step 1;
- n = Number of units in the averaging plan

STEP 3

Mark one of the two options and enter dates.

This plan is effective for calendar year \_\_\_\_\_ through calendar year \_\_\_\_\_ unless notification to terminate the plan is given.

Treat this plan as  identical plans, each effective for one calendar year for the following calendar years: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004 unless notification to terminate one or more of these plans is given.

STEP 4

Read the special provisions and certification, enter the name of the designated representative, and sign and date.

Special Provisions

Emission Limitations

Each affected unit in an approved averaging plan is in compliance with the Acid Rain emission limitation for NO<sub>x</sub> under the plan only if the following requirements are met:

- (i) For each unit, the unit's actual annual average emission rate for the calendar year, in lb/mmBtu, is less than or equal to its alternative contemporaneous annual emission limitation in the averaging plan, and
  - (a) For each unit with an alternative contemporaneous emission limitation less stringent than the applicable emission limitation in 40 CFR 76.5, 76.6, or 76.7, the actual annual heat input for the calendar year does not exceed the annual heat input limit in the averaging plan,
  - (b) For each unit with an alternative contemporaneous emission limitation more stringent than the applicable emission limitation in 40 CFR 76.5, 76.6, or 76.7, the actual annual heat input for the calendar year is not less than the annual heat input limit in the averaging plan, or
- (ii) If one or more of the units does not meet the requirements of (i), the designated representative shall demonstrate, in accordance with 40 CFR 76.11(d)(1)(ii)(A) and (B), that the actual Btu-weighted annual average emission rate for the units in the plan is less than or equal to the Btu-weighted annual average rate for the same units had they each been operated, during the same period of time, in compliance with the applicable emission limitations in 40 CFR 76.5, 76.6, or 76.7.
- (iii) If there is a successful group showing of compliance under 40 CFR 76.11(d)(1)(ii)(A) and (B) for a calendar year, then all units in the averaging plan shall be deemed to be in compliance for that year with their alternative contemporaneous emission limitations and annual heat input limits under (i).

Liability

The owners and operators of a unit governed by an approved averaging plan shall be liable for any violation of the plan or this section at that unit or any other unit in the plan, including liability for fulfilling the obligations specified in part 77 of this chapter and sections 113 and 411 of the Act.

Termination

The designated representative may submit a notification to terminate an approved averaging plan, in accordance with 40 CFR 72.40(d), no later than October 1 of the calendar year for which the plan is to be terminated.

Certification

I am authorized to make this submission on behalf of the owners and operators of the affected source or affected units for which the submission is made. I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined, and am familiar with, the statements and information submitted in this document and all its attachments. Based on my inquiry of those individuals with primary responsibility for obtaining the information, I certify that the statements and information are to the best of my knowledge and belief true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false statements and information or omitting required statements and information, including the possibility of fine or imprisonment.

Name Charles D. McCrary	
Signature <i>Charles D. McCrary</i>	Date 7-23-99

Southern Company Averaging Plan Participating Plants

Plant Name (from Step 1) as Listed in Step 1.

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**STEP 1**  
Continue the identification of units from Step 1, page 1, here.

Plant Name	State	ID #	(a)	(b)	(c)
			Emission Limitation	Alt. Contemp. Emission Limitation	Annual Heat Input Limit
Arkwright	GA	1	0.45	0.70	1,875,509
Arkwright	GA	2	0.45	0.70	1,886,089
Arkwright	GA	3	0.50	0.70	2,006,321
Arkwright	GA	4	0.50	0.70	1,932,669
Barry	AL	1	0.40	0.49	10,805,761
Barry	AL	2	0.40	0.49	10,643,159
Barry	AL	3	0.40	0.49	17,148,763
Barry	AL	4	0.40	0.37	25,471,720
Barry	AL	5	0.40	0.45	50,897,853
Bowen	GA	1	0.45	0.42	45,395,755
Bowen	GA	2	0.45	0.43	46,911,826
Bowen	GA	3	0.45	0.43	59,796,338
Bowen	GA	4	0.45	0.43	62,106,898
Branch	GA	1	0.68	0.99	14,906,580
Branch	GA	2	0.50	0.72	16,571,123
Branch	GA	3	0.68	0.84	27,015,768
Branch	GA	4	0.68	0.84	28,967,878
Crist	FL	4	0.45	0.52	3,062,929
Crist	FL	5	0.45	0.60	4,850,348
Crist	FL	6	0.50	0.45	17,603,755
Crist	FL	7	0.50	0.45	32,267,381
Daniel	MS	1	0.45	0.28	28,010,957
Daniel	MS	2	0.45	0.26	29,025,313
Gadsden	AL	1	0.45	0.65	2,473,380
Gadsden	AL	2	0.45	0.68	2,333,659
Gaston	AL	1	0.50	0.43	15,666,430
Gaston	AL	2	0.50	0.43	15,642,121
Gaston	AL	3	0.50	0.43	16,016,613
Gaston	AL	4	0.50	0.43	15,780,983
Gaston	AL	5	0.45	0.42	43,137,116
Gorgas	AL	6	0.46	0.86	5,058,595
Gorgas	AL	7	0.46	0.86	5,052,447
Gorgas	AL	8	0.40	0.49	11,173,785
Gorgas	AL	9	0.40	0.30	10,939,664
Gorgas	AL	10	0.40	0.76	46,251,622

**Southern Company Averaging Plan Participating Plants**  
 as Listed in Step 1.

**STEP 1**  
 Continue the  
 identification of  
 units from Step 1,  
 page 1, here.

Plant Name	State	ID #	(a) Emission Limitation	(b) Alt. Contemp. Emission	(c) Annual Heat Input Limit
Greene Co	AL	1	0.68	0.98	19,524,675
Greene Co	AL	2	0.46	0.43	18,839,670
Hammond	GA	1	0.50	0.83	4,539,663
Hammond	GA	2	0.50	0.83	6,333,156
Hammond	GA	3	0.50	0.83	6,439,818
Hammond	GA	4	0.50	0.45	26,126,591
Kraft	GA	1	0.45	0.58	2,974,849
Kraft	GA	2	0.45	0.58	2,238,703
Kraft	GA	3	0.45	0.58	3,971,009
L. Smith	FL	1	0.40	0.62	9,199,644
L. Smith	FL	2	0.40	0.44	10,154,723
McDonough	GA	1	0.45	0.42	18,934,013
McDonough	GA	2	0.45	0.42	17,338,565
McIntosh	GA	1	0.50	0.86	8,568,975
Miller	AL	1	0.46	0.29	53,814,591
Miller	AL	2	0.46	0.29	52,772,559
Miller	AL	3	0.46	0.29	49,093,163
Miller	AL	4	0.46	0.29	55,722,252
Mitchell	GA	3	0.45	0.62	5,322,072
Scherer	GA	1	0.40	0.50	52,573,864
Scherer	GA	2	0.40	0.50	55,563,600
Scherer	GA	3	0.45	0.29	37,912,770
Scherer	GA	4	0.40	0.30	70,093,731
Scholz	FL	1	0.50	0.68	1,855,434
Scholz	FL	2	0.50	0.77	1,864,795
Wansley	GA	1	0.45	0.41	53,141,279
Wansley	GA	2	0.45	0.42	49,741,786
Watson	MS	4	0.50	0.50	17,100,575
Watson	MS	5	0.50	0.65	33,455,317
Yates	GA	1	0.45	0.48	3,853,527
Yates	GA	2	0.45	0.48	4,687,321
Yates	GA	3	0.45	0.48	3,981,916
Yates	GA	4	0.45	0.40	7,087,706
Yates	GA	5	0.45	0.40	5,186,897
Yates	GA	6	0.45	0.33	13,373,298
Yates	GA	7	0.45	0.30	14,601,869



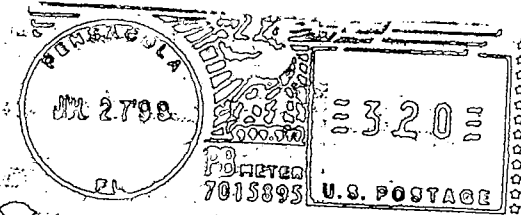
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