

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

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IN RESPONSE, PLEASE REFER TO: M170216A

MEMORANDUM FOR: Brooke P. Clark, Director

Office of Commission Appellate Adjudication

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary /RA/

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - AFFIRMATION SESSION, 8:55 A.M.,

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2017, COMMISSIONERS' CONFERENCE ROOM, ONE WHITE FLINT NORTH,

ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND (OPEN TO PUBLIC ATTENDANCE)

I. SECY-17-0002 – SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY, INC. (VOGTLE ELECTRIC GENERATING PLANT, UNITS 3 AND 4), INTERVENOR'S APPEAL OF LBP-16-10

The Commission approved a Memorandum and Order responding to an appeal by the Blue Ridge Environmental Defense League, with its chapter Concerned Citizens of Shell Bluff (BREDL), of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's decision in LBP-16-10. The Board's decision denied BREDL's request for a hearing on the license amendment request of Southern Nuclear Operating Company, Inc. to modify the design of Vogtle Units 3 and 4 by adding two hydrogen igniters to the hydrogen control system. The Memorandum and Order affirms the Board's decision.

(Subsequently, on February 16, 2017, the Secretary signed the Memorandum and Order.)

cc: Chairman Svinicki

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