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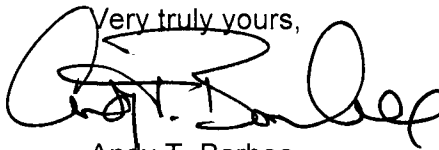
Dear Sir / Madam:

Subject: VIRGIL C. SUMMER NUCLEAR STATION, UNITS 1, 2 and 3  
DOCKET NO. 50-395  
DOCKET NO. 52-027 and 52-028  
OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-12  
REGULATORY ISSUE SUMMARY, RIS 2012-07  
PREPARATION AND SCHEDULING OF OPERATOR LICENSING  
EXAMINATIONS

Attached please find South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's (SCE&G) anticipated schedule for operator licensing examinations.

The first AP-1000 exam, scheduled in calendar year (CY) 2014, is a split exam, with the written exam on 08/06/14 (alternate 08/20/14) and the operating exam on 11/03/14 (alternate 11/10/14). The first AP-1000 exam in CY 2015 will be a split exam, with the written exam on 02/04/15 (alternate 02/18/15) and the operating exam on 05/11/15 (alternate 05/25/15). The second AP-1000 exam in CY 2015 will be a combined written and operating exam on 11/02/15 (alternate 11/16/2015).

This letter contains no new commitments. Should you have any questions concerning Unit 1 exams, please call Mr. Rick Garner at (803) 931-5636. For questions concerning Units 2 and 3 exams, please call Mr. Neil E. Constance at (803) 345-4028.

Very truly yours,  
  
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**OPERATOR LICENSING  
EXAMINATION DATA**

Estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary information collection request: 1 hour. This information collection is used to plan budgets and resources for operator examinations. Send comments regarding burden estimate to the Information Services Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by internet e-mail to [Infocollects.Resource@nrc.gov](mailto:Infocollects.Resource@nrc.gov), and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202, (3150-0131), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

FACILITY

Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station, Unit 1

NRC REGION

II

**A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE**

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY <u>2014</u>	CY <u>2015</u>	CY <u>2016</u>	CY <u>2017</u>
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	1	0	1	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

**B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS**

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY <u>2014</u>	CY <u>2015</u>	CY <u>2016</u>	CY <u>2017</u>
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	6	0	6	6
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	0	0	0	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	2	0	3	3
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE	09/29/2014	N/A	04/04/2016	03/13/2017
ALTERNATE DATE	10/06/2014	N/A	04/11/2016	03/20/2017

**C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE**

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY <u>2014</u>				CY <u>2015</u>			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	0

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Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station, Units 2 and 3	II

**A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE**

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2016	CY 2017
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	1	2	1	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

**B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS**

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2016	CY 2017
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	0	0	0	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	24	40	18	18
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	0	0	0	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE	08/06/14 (w) 11/03/14 (o)	02/04/15 (w) 05/11/15 (o) 11/02/15 (Combined)	09/19/2016	07/10/2017
ALTERNATE DATE	08/20/14 (w) 11/10/14 (o)	02/18/15 (w) 05/25/15 (o) 11/16/15 (Combined)	10/03/2016	07/24/2017

**C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE**

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2014				CY 2015			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES	16			18			18	