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Southern Nuclear Operating Company  
Vogtle Electric Generating Plant Unit 3 and Unit 4  
Notice of Uncompleted ITAAC 225-days Prior to Initial Fuel Load  
Item 2.5.02.06a.i [Index Number 529], Item 2.5.06.02 [Index Number 574],  
Item 2.7.06.03.i [Index Number 726] and Item 2.7.06.03.ii [Index Number 727]

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to 10 CFR 52.99(c)(3), Southern Nuclear Operating Company hereby notifies the NRC that as of September 20, 2017, Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Unit 3 and Unit 4 Uncompleted Inspections, Tests, Analyses, and Acceptance Criteria (ITAAC) Item 2.5.02.06a.i [Index Number 529], Item 2.5.06.02 [Index Number 574], Item 2.7.06.03.i [Index Number 726] and Item 2.7.06.03.ii [Index Number 727] have not been completed greater than 225-days prior to initial fuel load. The Enclosures describe the plans for completing ITAAC 2.5.02.06a.i [Index Number 529], ITAAC 2.5.06.02 [Index Number 574], ITAAC 2.7.06.03.i [Index Number 726] and ITAAC 2.7.06.03.ii [Index Number 727]. Southern Nuclear Operating Company will, at a later date, provide additional notifications for ITAAC that have not been completed 225-days prior to initial fuel load.

This notification is informed by the guidance described in NEI 08-01, *Industry Guideline for the ITAAC Closure Process Under 10 CFR Part 52*, which was endorsed by the NRC in Regulatory Guide 1.215. In accordance with NEI 08-01, this notification includes ITAAC for which required inspections, tests, or analyses have not been performed or have been only partially completed. All ITAAC will be fully completed and all Section 52.99(c)(1) ITAAC Closure Notifications will be submitted to NRC to support the Commission finding that all acceptance criteria are met prior to plant operation, as required by 10 CFR 52.103(g).

This letter contains no new NRC regulatory commitments.

If there are any questions, please contact David Woods at 706-848-6903.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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- Enclosure 1: Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Unit 3 and Unit 4  
Docket No: 52-025 & 52-026  
Completion Plan for Uncompleted ITAAC 2.5.02.06a.i [Index Number 529]
- Enclosure 2: Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Unit 3 and Unit 4  
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Completion Plan for Uncompleted ITAAC 2.5.06.02 [Index Number 574]
- Enclosure 3: Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Unit 3 and Unit 4  
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Completion Plan for Uncompleted ITAAC 2.7.06.03.i [Index Number 726]
- Enclosure 4: Vogtle Electric Generating Plant (VEGP) Unit 3 and Unit 4  
Docket No: 52-025 & 52-026  
Completion Plan for Uncompleted ITAAC 2.7.06.03.ii [Index Number 727]

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