Dear Mr. Dowdy,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your additional correspondence emailed to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.

Your correspondence dated 10-23-17 will be placed in the Docket listed below and on the Commission’s Website at www.psc.sc.gov.


You can follow this Docket and other daily filings made at the Commission by subscribing to the Commission’s Email Subscriptions at this link: https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Email; or you can follow Docket No. 2017-305-E at this link: https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/116463.

If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

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From: Tim Dowdey [mailto:]
Sent: Monday, October 23, 2017 11:25 AM
To: PSC_Contact <Contact@psc.sc.gov>
Subject: Docket 2017-305-E

South Carolina Public Service Commission

On October 19th 2017, South Carolina Governor Henry McMaster sent a letter to Kevin Marsh, Chairman and CEO of SCANA Corporation. SCANA Corporation is the parent company of South Carolina Electric and Gas (SCE&G), which is named in this docket (2017-305-E).

In this letter, Governor McMaster asked SCANA to immediately cease collecting money from customers for the VC Summer Nuclear project and to use the proceeds from the Toshiba settlement to refund money to customers. I strongly agree with our governor.

I ask that the attached letter from Governor McMaster, as well as this email, be included in docket 2017-305-E.
Thank you,

Tim Dowdey
Concerned SCE&G Customer
Mr. Kevin Marsh  
Chairman and CEO 
SCANA Corporation 
220 Operation Way 
Cayce, South Carolina 29033 

Dear Mr. Marsh:

By this letter, which I would ask that you share with the Board of Directors, I call on SCANA, as the parent company of SCE&G, to immediately cease collecting approximately $37 million per month from ratepayers for its abandoned nuclear project. I also urge SCANA to use the Toshiba settlement funds to begin refunding to ratepayers money collected for the construction of the nuclear reactors in Fairfield County. I believe this is the right thing to do under these circumstances. It is unreasonable and oppressive for SCANA to require its customers to bear the burden of actions and decisions in which customers played no part and over which they had no control. Moreover, as SCANA seeks to stabilize its future in the face of investigations and ratepayer lawsuits, it would be unwise to spend years litigating the constitutionality of the Base Load Review Act.

Thank you for your consideration of this important matter. Should you have any questions regarding anything mentioned above or otherwise, please call me.

Yours very truly,

Henry McMaster

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