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Ms. Beverly Banister, Director
Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division
U.S. EPA, Region 4
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Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8909

RE: Georgia Power-Plant Bowen Modeling for EPA's Data Requirements Rule for the 2010 1-Hour SO₂ NAAQS

Dear Ms. Banister:

On June 8, 2016, the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) submitted a letter to EPA describing the approach that will be used to characterize air quality at sources in Georgia that had annual actual SO₂ emissions exceeding 2,000 tons per year (tpy) in 2014. In that letter, EPD stated that Georgia Power-Plant Bowen would be characterized with air quality modeling.

A modeling protocol was submitted to EPA on June 17, 2016 and updated on September 27. This submittal contains three items: (1) a modeling report submitted by Georgia Power to EPD; (2) a final modeling report created by EPD; and (3) a copy of all modeling inputs/output files on a DVD.

Should you or your staff have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact Jim Boylan at James.Boylan@dnr.ga.gov or 404-363-7014.

Sincerely,



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