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PSC To Hold Hearing on Georgia Power Company Request for Accounting Order Related to Nuclear Power Generation Permitting Costs

Atlanta, May 18, 2006 — The Georgia Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a hearing on Thursday May 25, 2006 at 10 a.m. on the Georgia Power Company (Company) request for an Accounting Order, Docket Number 22449-U, authorizing the use of FERC Account 183 (Preliminary Survey and Investigation Charges) to record early site permitting and construction operating license costs. In its filing of February 20, 2006, the Company says it wants to initiate steps to evaluate and fully develop the option of constructing and bringing nuclear generation on line to meet the Company's electric generation need in 2015.

The Commission is scheduled to make a final decision on this issue at its Regular Administrative Session on June 22, 2006 at 10 a.m.

The audio of the hearing is available by accessing the Commission website, www.psc.state.ga.us and clicking on Audio Broadcast.

The hearings will be held in Room 110 at 244 Washington Street, S.W. Atlanta, Georgia. More information on this issue can be found by accessing the Docket Search on the Commission's website, www.psc.state.ga.us and inserting Docket Number 22449-U.

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