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March 21, 2008

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Clerk of the Board, Environmental Appeals Board
Colorado Building
1341 G Street, N.W., Suite 600
Washington, D.C. 20005

RE: South Carolina Electric & Gas Company-Cope Station
NPDES Permit No. SC0045772

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find an original and five copies of a Motion to Withdraw Petition in the above-referenced matter.

By copy of this letter, I am serving a copy of the Motion on Counsel for EPA.

Sincerely,

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cc: Philip G. Mancusi-Ungaro

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**BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

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IN RE:

South Carolina Electric & Gas
Company—Cope Station

NPDES Permit No. SC 0045772

MOTION TO WITHDRAW PETITION

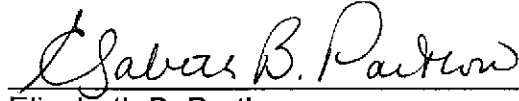
NOW COMES Petitioner South Carolina Electric & Gas Company ("SCE&G") and moves to withdraw the Petition filed in this matter. In support of this motion, SCE&G states as follows:

1. SCE&G filed this Petition to challenge several of the conditions imposed by EPA Region 4 ("the Region") in NPDES Permit No. SC 0045772.
2. Since the filing of the Petition, the parties have reached an agreement with respect to all issues raised on appeal.
3. The Region issued a modified NPDES permit on February 7, 2008, and a corrected cover page for the modified permit on February 20, 2008.
4. The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control issued its 401 certification for the modified permit on March 17, 2008.
5. The Region consents to the withdrawal of the Petition.

WHEREFORE, SCE&G requests that the Board grant its motion to withdraw its
Petition for Review of NPDES Permit No. SC 0045772.

This is the 21st day of March 2008.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing "Motion to Withdraw Petition" was served upon the following by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, on this 21st day of March 2008:

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