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In the opinion of Bond Counsel, assuming continued compliance by the Authority with certain covenants, interest on the 2015M1 Bonds is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under existing statutes, regulations and judicial decisions. Interest on the 2015M1 Bonds is not an item of tax preference in computing the alternative minimum taxable income of individuals or corporations. Interest on the 2015M1 Bonds will, however, be included in the computation of certain taxes including alternative minimum tax for corporations. See "TAX MATTERS" for a description of certain other federal income tax consequences to certain recipients of interest on the 2015M1 Bonds. The 2015M1 Bonds and the interest thereon will be exempt from all State, county, municipal and school district and other taxes or assessments imposed within the State of South Carolina, except estate, transfer and certain franchise taxes.

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Revenue Obligations, 2015 Series M1 Consisting of

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The Revenue Obligations, 2015 Series M1 (the "2015M1 Bonds") will be sold directly by the South Carolina Public Service Authority (the "Authority") only to residents of the State of South Carolina (the "State"), customers of the Authority, members of electric cooperatives organized and existing under the laws of the State, and electric customers of the Bamberg Board of Public Works, South Carolina and the City of Georgetown, South Carolina.

The Current Interest Bearing Bonds will be issued in registered form in denominations of \$500 or integral multiples thereof. The Capital Appreciation Bonds will be issued in registered form in denominations of \$200 original principal amount or integral multiples thereof. The 2015M1 Bonds will be sold by the Authority directly to investors. The maximum amount of 2015M1 Bonds, as measured by the initial purchase price thereof, which may be initially purchased by one investor shall be \$50,000 as described herein. Any 2015M1 Bonds will be purchased by the Authority on demand by the owner thereof upon the terms and conditions set forth herein. The Authority's obligation to redeem the 2015M1 Bonds at the election of the Bondholders is limited to 5% of the original issue amount of the 2015M1 Bonds in any calendar year. Redemptions will also be limited on a monthly basis to one-twelfth of the 5% annual maximum. Interest on the Current Interest Bearing Bonds, payable on January 1 and July 1 of each year, commencing January 1, 2016 (240 days of interest), interest on the Capital Appreciation Bonds (compounded semiannually and payable only upon maturity or earlier redemption or elective purchase thereof), maturing principal of the Current Interest Bearing Bonds and maturing principal of the Capital Appreciation Bonds will be payable by check or draft mailed to the registered owners thereof by The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. (the "Trustee").

The 2015M1 Bonds will be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Authority on and after January 1, 2016, as set forth herein.

The 2015M1 Bonds are payable solely from, and secured by a lien upon and pledge of, the Revenues and moneys in the Revenue Fund of the Authority on a parity with the lien and pledge securing Revenue Obligations heretofore and hereafter issued pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution.

The 2015M1 Bonds are being issued to fund a portion of the cost of the Authority's ongoing capital improvement program.

The 2015M1 Bonds are not debts of the State, nor of any political subdivision thereof, and neither the State nor any of its political subdivisions shall be liable thereon, nor shall they be payable from any funds other than the Revenues of the Authority pledged to the payment thereof.

The 2015M1 Bonds are offered when, as and if issued subject to the approval of legality by Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A., Charleston, South Carolina, Bond Counsel.

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South Carolina Public Service Authority

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INTRODUCTION

General

The purpose of this Official Statement is to set forth information concerning the South Carolina Public Service Authority (the "Authority") Revenue Obligations, 2015 Series M1(the "2015M1 Bonds") offered hereby.

The summary of the Revenue Obligation Resolution (hereinafter defined) herein contained is made subject to all of the provisions of such document, and such summary does not purport to be complete statements of such provisions. Reference is hereby made to such document for further information in connection therewith. Copies of such document may be examined at the main office of the Authority in Moncks Corner, South Carolina, and at the office of Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A., Charleston, South Carolina. The REPORT OF THE COMPANY'S FINANCIAL STATEMENTS is attached as Appendix I to this Official Statement.

Defined terms not herein defined are defined in Appendix II -- "SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE REVENUE OBLIGATION RESOLUTION."

The Authority

The Authority is a body corporate and politic created by Act No. 887 of the Acts of the State of South Carolina (the "State") for 1934 and acts supplemental thereto and amendatory thereof (Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended -- Sections 58-31-10 through 58-31-450) (the "Act"), which, among other things, authorizes the Authority to produce, distribute and sell electric power and to acquire, treat, transmit, distribute and sell water at wholesale within the counties of Berkeley, Calhoun, Charleston, Clarendon, Colleton, Dorchester, Orangeburg and Sumter, South Carolina. The Authority owns and operates the Lake Moultrie Regional Water System and the Lake Marion Regional Water System. Under current State law and by contract, each of the regional water systems is required to be self supporting. The Authority began electric power operations in 1942. The commercial operation of the regional water system began in October 1994.

Authorization of 2015M1 Bonds

The 2015M1 Bonds are issued pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Authority's Board of Directors on April 26, 1999, as amended and supplemented from time to time (the "Revenue Obligation Resolution"). The 2015M1 Bonds now being offered and all obligations heretofore and hereafter issued pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution (collectively, the "Revenue Obligations") are on a parity with each other. The Revenue Obligations are secured by a lien upon and pledge of the Revenue Fund and the revenues of the Authority's System and other moneys paid into the Revenue Fund (the "Revenues"). See "SECURITY FOR THE 2015M1 BONDS." By supplemental resolution duly adopted, the Authority authorized the issuance of the 2015M1 Bonds.

Indebtedness of the Authority

Revenue Obligations. Pursuant to the Act, the Board of Directors of the Authority adopted the Revenue Obligation Resolution providing for the issuance of the Authority's Revenue Obligations. As of March 31, 2015 there was outstanding approximately \$6,995,971,000 aggregate principal amount of Revenue Obligations.

Commercial Paper Notes. In addition, the Authority has issued indebtedness evidenced by commercial paper notes (the "Commercial Paper Notes"). As of March 31, 2015 there was outstanding \$373,490,000 of Commercial Paper Notes. The lien and pledge of Revenues securing such Commercial Paper Notes is junior to that securing the Revenue Obligations.

The Board of Directors of the Authority has by resolution authorized the issuance of Commercial Paper Notes not to exceed the lesser of (i) 20% of the aggregate Authority debt outstanding as of the last day of the most recent fiscal year for which audited financial statements of the Authority are available or (ii) the aggregate unused commitment of the Banks (hereinafter defined) (i.e., the commitment minus any loans outstanding under the revolving credit agreements) under any revolving credit agreements the Authority may enter into to obtain funds to repay the Commercial Paper Notes. The Commercial Paper Notes are secured by a lien upon and pledge of Revenues junior to the lien and pledge securing (i) Revenue Obligations and (ii) expenses of operating and maintaining the System, but prior to the payments into the Capital Improvement Fund.

To obtain funds, if needed to repay the Commercial Paper Notes, the Authority has entered into Revolving Credit Agreements (the "Revolving Credit Agreements") with U.S. Bank National Association, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association, TD Bank, N.A. and Barclays Bank PLC (collectively, the "Banks") for an aggregate amount of \$850,000,000. The agreement with U.S. Bank National Association allows the Authority to borrow up to \$150,000,000 and expires on August 18, 2017. The agreement with JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association allows the Authority to borrow up to \$200,000,000 and expires on August 18, 2017. The agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, National Association allows the Authority to borrow up to \$150,000,000 and expires on August 18, 2017. The agreement with TD Bank, N.A. allows the Authority to borrow up to \$150,000,000 and expires on November 27, 2018. The agreement with Barclays Bank PLC allows the Authority to borrow up to \$200,000,000 and expires on November 27, 2019.

The Authority's obligation to repay any such loans is secured by a lien upon and pledge of Revenues *pari passu* with the lien upon and pledge of Revenues securing the Commercial Paper Notes. No loans are outstanding under the Revolving Credit Agreements.

Purpose of the 2015M1 Bonds

The 2015M1 Bonds are being issued to fund a portion of the Authority's ongoing capital improvement program. See "CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN."

DESCRIPTION OF THE CURRENT INTEREST BEARING BONDS

General

The Current Interest Bearing Bonds will be dated May 1, 2015 and will mature on January 1, 2020 at the interest rate of 1.75%, on January 1, 2025 at the interest rate of 2.50%, on January 1, 2030 at the interest rate of 3.50%, and on January 1, 2035 at the interest rate of 3.85%. The Current Interest Bearing Bonds will be issued as registered bonds without coupons in the denominations of five hundred (\$500) dollars or any integral multiple thereof and when issued will initially be in book-entry form. See "DESCRIPTION OF BOOK-ENTRY ONLY SYSTEM." Interest on the Current Interest Bearing Bonds, payable semiannually on each January 1 and July 1 commencing January 1, 2016 (at which time 240 days of interest will be due), and maturing principal of the Current Interest Bearing Bonds will be payable by check or draft mailed by The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as Trustee, to the registered owners thereof as shown on the registration books on the fifteenth day of the month prior to each payment date. The total combined order of the Current Interest Bearing Bonds and Capital Appreciation Bonds, as measured by the initial purchase price

thereof per series, which may be initially purchased by any one investor shall be \$50,000. The Current Interest Bearing Bonds may be transferred to another owner but only on the registration books of the Authority held by the Trustee, as registrar.

Redemption

The Current Interest Bearing Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Authority on and after January 1, 2016, upon not less than 30 days written notice, as a whole at any time, or in part from time to time on any interest payment date (and, in the event that less than all of the Current Interest Bearing Bonds are called for redemption, the particular Current Interest Bearing Bonds or portions thereof to be redeemed shall be selected by lot by the Trustee, but only in integral multiples of \$500 denominations), at the redemption price of 100% of the principal amount of each Current Interest Bearing Bond to be redeemed, together with the interest accrued thereon to the date fixed for redemption.

Purchase of Current Interest Bearing Bonds by Authority

On or after January 1, 2016 any Current Interest Bearing Bond (or portion thereof in authorized denomination) will be purchased by the Authority, on the demand of the registered owner thereof, on the first day (or, if such day is not a business day, on the next succeeding business day) of the first or second month next succeeding the date of delivery of the written notice to the Authority at a purchase price equal to the principal amount thereof less a fee of \$15 per \$500 principal amount to be purchased, together with accrued interest to the purchase date, upon delivery to the Authority, of not less than 30 days written notice, properly endorsed with signature guaranteed, which states (i) the CUSIP number, face amount, maturity date and series designation of the Current Interest Bearing Bond to be purchased, and (ii) the portion of the principal amount of such Current Interest Bearing Bond to be purchased (provided that such portion shall be an integral multiple of \$500).

The Authority's obligation to purchase 2015M1 Bonds tendered for purchase is limited to 5% of the original issue amount of the 2015M1 Bonds in any calendar year. Purchases will also be limited on a monthly basis to one-twelfth of the 5% annual maximum. Purchases will be processed in the order of receipt by the Authority of tenders for purchase.

DESCRIPTION OF THE CAPITAL APPRECIATION BONDS

General

The Capital Appreciation Bonds will be dated May 1, 2015 and will mature on January 1, 2024 at the interest rate of 2.50%, on January 1, 2029 at the interest rate of 3.50% and on January 1, 2034 at the interest rate of 3.85%. The Capital Appreciation Bonds are payable in an amount (the "Accreted Value") equal to the principal amount of such Capital Appreciation Bonds plus interest from the date of such Capital Appreciation Bonds, compounded on January 1 and July 1 of each year. The Capital Appreciation Bonds will be issued as registered bonds without coupons in the denominations of two hundred (\$200) dollars or any integral multiple thereof and when issued will initially be in book-entry form. See "DESCRIPTION OF BOOK-ENTRY ONLY SYSTEM." The Capital Appreciation Bonds will bear interest on the original principal amounts thereof, compounded semiannually on January 1 and July 1 of each year commencing January 1, 2016, and payable only upon maturity or earlier redemption or elective purchase thereof. The maturing Accreted Value of the Capital Appreciation Bonds and Current Interest Bearing Bonds, as measured by the initial purchase price thereof per series, which may be initially purchased by any one investor shall be \$50,000. The Capital Appreciation Bonds may be transferred to another owner but only on the registration books of the Authority held by the Trustee, as registrar.

Redemption

The Capital Appreciation Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Authority on and after January 1, 2016, upon not less than 30 days written notice, as a whole at any time, or in part from time to time on any January 1 or July 1 (and, in the event that less than all of the Capital Appreciation Bonds are called for redemption, the particular Capital Appreciation Bonds or portions thereof to be redeemed shall be selected by lot by the Trustee, but only in integral multiples of \$200 denominations), at a redemption price equal to the Accreted Value on the redemption date of any such Capital Appreciation Bond to be redeemed.

Purchase of Capital Appreciation Bonds by Authority

On or after January 1, 2016 any Capital Appreciation Bond (or portion thereof in authorized denomination) will be purchased by the Authority, on the demand of the registered owner thereof, on the first day (or, if such day is not a business day, on the next succeeding business day) of the first or second month next succeeding the date of delivery of the written notice to the Authority at 100% of the Accreted Value thereof on the date of purchase less a fee of \$6.00 per \$200 original principal amount to be purchased, upon delivery to the Authority, of not less than 30 days written notice, properly endorsed with signature guaranteed, which states (i) the CUSIP number, original principal amount, maturity date and series designation of the Capital Appreciation Bond to be purchased, and (ii) the portion of the original principal amount of such Capital Appreciation Bond to be purchased (provided that such portion shall be an integral multiple of \$200).

The Authority's obligation to purchase 2015M1 Bonds tendered for purchase is limited to 5% of the original issue amount of the 2015M1 Bonds in any calendar year. Purchases will also be limited on a monthly basis to one-twelfth of the 5% annual maximum. Purchases will be processed in the order of receipt by the Authority of tenders for purchase.

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Accreted Value Table for Capital Appreciation Bonds Maturing January 1, 2024

The Accreted Value amount due at optional redemption, elective purchase or maturity of each \$200 original principal amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond with a maturity date of January 1, 2024, as of the first day of each month to maturity is set forth below. The Accreted Value of each \$200 original principal amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond on any other date will be calculated on the assumption that such Accreted Value increases in equal daily amounts on the basis of twelve 30-day months.

Date	Accreted Value	Date	Accreted Value	Date	Accreted Value
Jan. 1, 2016	\$ 203.34	Jul. 1, 2019	\$ 221.82	Jan. 1, 2023	\$ 241.97
Feb. 1, 2016	203.77	Aug. 1, 2019	222.28	Feb. 1, 2023	242.47
Mar. 1, 2016	204.19	Sep. 1, 2019	222.74	Mar. 1, 2023	242.97
Apr. 1, 2016	204.61	Oct. 1, 2019	223.20	Apr. 1, 2023	243.48
May 1, 2016	205.03	Nov. 1, 2019	223.66	May 1, 2023	243.98
Jun. 1, 2016	205.46	Dec. 1, 2019	224.13	Jun. 1, 2023	244.49
Jul. 1, 2016	205.89	Jan. 1, 2020	224.59	Jul. 1, 2023	244.99
Aug. 1, 2016	206.31	Feb. 1, 2020	225.06	Aug. 1, 2023	245.50
Sep. 1, 2016	206.74	Mar. 1, 2020	225.52	Sep. 1, 2023	246.01
Oct. 1, 2016	207.17	Apr. 1, 2020	225.99	Oct. 1, 2023	246.52
Nov. 1, 2016	207.60	May 1, 2020	226.46	Nov. 1, 2023	247.03
Dec. 1, 2016	208.03	Jun. 1, 2020	226.93	Dec. 1, 2023	247.54
Jan. 1, 2017	208.46	Jul. 1, 2020	227.40	Jan. 1, 2024	248.06
Feb. 1, 2017	208.89	Aug. 1, 2020	227.87		
Mar. 1, 2017	209.32	Sep. 1, 2020	228.34		
Apr. 1, 2017	209.76	Oct. 1, 2020	228.81		
May 1, 2017	210.19	Nov. 1, 2020	229.29		
Jun. 1, 2017	210.63	Dec. 1, 2020	229.76		
Jul. 1, 2017	211.06	Jan. 1, 2021	230.24		
Aug. 1, 2017	211.50	Feb. 1, 2021	230.72		
Sep. 1, 2017	211.94	Mar. 1, 2021	231.20		
Oct. 1, 2017	212.38	Apr. 1, 2021	231.67		
Nov. 1, 2017	212.82	May 1, 2021	232.15		
Dec. 1, 2017	213.26	Jun. 1, 2021	232.64		
Jan. 1, 2018	213.70	Jul. 1, 2021	233.12		
Feb. 1, 2018	214.15	Aug. 1, 2021	233.60		
Mar. 1, 2018	214.59	Sep. 1, 2021	234.09		
Apr. 1, 2018	215.03	Oct. 1, 2021	234.57		
May 1, 2018	215.48	Nov. 1, 2021	235.06		
Jun. 1, 2018	215.93	Dec. 1, 2021	235.54		
Jul. 1, 2018	216.37	Jan. 1, 2022	236.03		
Aug. 1, 2018	216.82	Feb. 1, 2022	236.52		
Sep. 1, 2018	217.27	Mar. 1, 2022	237.01		
Oct. 1, 2018	217.72	Apr. 1, 2022	237.50		
Nov. 1, 2018	218.17	May 1, 2022	238.00		
Dec. 1, 2018	218.63	Jun. 1, 2022	238.49		
Jan. 1, 2019	219.08	Jul. 1, 2022	238.98		
Feb. 1, 2019	219.53	Aug. 1, 2022	239.48		
Mar. 1, 2019	219.99	Sep. 1, 2022	239.97		
Apr. 1, 2019	220.44	Oct. 1, 2022	240.47		
May 1, 2019	220.90	Nov. 1, 2022	240.97		
Jun. 1, 2019	221.36	Dec. 1, 2022	241.47		

Accreted Value Table for Capital Appreciation Bonds Maturing January 1, 2029

The Accreted Value amount due at optional redemption, elective purchase or maturity of each \$200 original principal amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond with a maturity date of January 1, 2029, as of the first day of each month to maturity is set forth below. The Accreted Value of each \$200 original principal amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond on any other date will be calculated on the assumption that such Accreted Value increases in equal daily amounts on the basis of twelve 30-day months.

Date	Accreted <u>Value</u>	Date	Accreted Value	D ate	Accreted <u>Value</u>
Jan. 1, 2016	\$ 204.69	Jul. 1, 2019	\$ 231.12	Jan. 1, 2023	\$ 260.96
Feb. 1, 2016	205.28	Aug. 1, 2019	231.79	Feb. 1, 2023	261.71
Mar. 1, 2016	205.87	Sep. 1, 2019	232.46	Mar. 1, 2023	262.47
Apr. 1, 2016	206.47	Oct. 1, 2019	233.13	Apr. 1, 2023	263.23
May 1, 2016	207.07	Nov. 1, 2019	233.81	May 1, 2023	263.99
Jun. 1, 2016	207.67	Dec. 1, 2019	234.48	Jun. 1, 2023	264.76
Jul. 1, 2016	208.27	Jan. 1, 2020	235.16	Jul. 1, 2023	265.53
Aug. 1, 2016	208.87	Feb. 1, 2020	235.84	Aug. 1, 2023	266.29
Sep. 1, 2016	209.48	Mar. 1, 2020	236.53	Sep. 1, 2023	267.07
Oct. 1, 2016	210.08	Apr. 1, 2020	237.21	Oct. 1, 2023	267.84
Nov. 1, 2016	210.69	May 1, 2020	237.90	Nov. 1, 2023	268.61
Dec. 1, 2016	211.30	Jun. 1, 2020	238.59	Dec. 1, 2023	269.39
Jan. 1, 2017	211.91	Jul. 1, 2020	239.28	Jan. 1, 2024	270.17
Feb. 1, 2017	212.53	Aug. 1, 2020	239.97	Feb. 1, 2024	270.95
Mar. 1, 2017	213.14	Sep. 1, 2020	240.66	Mar. 1, 2024	271.74
Apr. 1, 2017	213.76	Oct. 1, 2020	241.36	Apr. 1, 2024	272.53
May 1, 2017	214.38	Nov. 1, 2020	242.06	May 1, 2024	273.32
Jun. 1, 2017	215.00	Dec. 1, 2020	242.76	Jun. 1, 2024	274.11
Jul. 1, 2017	215.62	Jan. 1, 2021	243.46	Jul. 1, 2024	274.90
Aug. 1, 2017	216.25	Feb. 1, 2021	244.17	Aug. 1, 2024	275.70
Sep. 1, 2017	216.87	Mar. 1, 2021	244.88	Sep. 1, 2024	276.49
Oct. 1, 2017	217.50	Apr. 1, 2021	245.58	Oct. 1, 2024	277.30
Nov. 1, 2017	218.13	May 1, 2021	246.30	Nov. 1, 2024	278.10
Dec. 1, 2017	218.76	Jun. 1, 2021	247.01	Dec. 1, 2024	278.90
Jan. 1, 2018	219.40	Jul. 1, 2021	247.72	Jan. 1, 2025	279.71
Feb. 1, 2018	220.03	Aug. 1, 2021	248.44	Feb. 1, 2025	280.52
Mar. 1, 2018	220.67	Sep. 1, 2021	249.16	Mar. 1, 2025	281.33
Apr. 1, 2018	221.31	Oct. 1, 2021	249.88	Apr. 1, 2025	282.15
May 1, 2018	221.95	Nov. 1, 2021	250.61	May 1, 2025	282.97
Jun. 1, 2018	222.59	Dec. 1, 2021	251.33	Jun. 1, 2025	283.78
Jul. 1, 2018	223.24	Jan. 1, 2022	252.06	Jul. 1, 2025	284.61
Aug. 1, 2018	223.88	Feb. 1, 2022	252.79	Aug. 1, 2025	285.43
Sep. 1, 2018	224.53	Mar. 1, 2022	253.52	Sep. 1, 2025	286.26
Oct. 1, 2018	225.18	Apr. 1, 2022	254.26	Oct. 1, 2025	287.09
Nov. 1, 2018	225.83	May 1, 2022	254.99	Nov. 1, 2025	287.92
Dec. 1, 2018	226.49	Jun. 1, 2022	255.73	Dec. 1, 2025	288.75
Jan. 1, 2019	227.14	Jul. 1, 2022	256.47	Jan. 1, 2026	289.59
Feb. 1, 2019	227.80	Aug. 1, 2022	257.21	Feb. 1, 2026	290.43
Mar. 1, 2019	228.46	Sep. 1, 2022	257.96	Mar. 1, 2026	291.27
Apr. 1, 2019	229.12	Oct. 1, 2022	258.71	Apr. 1, 2026	292.11
May 1, 2019	229.78	Nov. 1, 2022	259.45	May 1, 2026	292.96
Jun. 1, 2019	230.45	Dec. 1, 2022	260.21	Jun. 1, 2026	293.80

Date	Accreted Value	Date	Accreted Value	Date	Accreted Value
Jul. 1, 2026	\$ 294.65	Oct. 1, 2027	\$ 307.72	Jan. 1, 2029	\$ 321.36
Aug. 1, 2026	295.51	Nov. 1, 2027	308.61		
Sep. 1, 2026	296.36	Dec. 1, 2027	309.50		
Oct. 1, 2026	297.22	Jan. 1, 2028	310.40		
Nov. 1, 2026	298.08	Feb. 1, 2028	311.30		
Dec. 1, 2026	298.95	Mar. 1, 2028	312.20		
Jan. 1, 2027	299.81	Apr. 1, 2028	313.10		
Feb. 1, 2027	300.68	May 1, 2028	314.01		
Mar. 1, 2027	301.55	Jun. 1, 2028	314.92		
Apr. 1, 2027	302.42	Jul. 1, 2028	315.83		
May 1, 2027	303.30	Aug. 1, 2028	316.74		
Jun. 1, 2027	304.18	Sep. 1, 2028	317.66		
Jul. 1, 2027	305.06	Oct. 1, 2028	318.58		
Aug. 1, 2027	305.94	Nov. 1, 2028	319.50		
Sep. 1, 2027	306.83	Dec. 1, 2028	320.43		

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Accreted Value Table for Capital Appreciation Bonds Maturing January 1, 2034

The Accreted Value amount due at optional redemption, elective purchase or maturity of each \$200 original principal amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond with a maturity date of January 1, 2034, as of the first day of each month to maturity is set forth below. The Accreted Value of each \$200 original principal amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond on any other date will be calculated on the assumption that such Accreted Value increases in equal daily amounts on the basis of twelve 30-day months.

Date	Accreted Value	Date	Accreted Value	Date	Accreted Value
Jan. 1, 2016	\$ 205.16	Jul. 1, 2019	\$ 234.45	Jan. 1, 2023	\$ 267.93
Feb. 1, 2016	205.81	Aug. 1, 2019	235.20	Feb. 1, 2023	268.78
Mar. 1, 2016	206.47	Sep. 1, 2019	235.95	Mar. 1, 2023	269.64
Apr. 1, 2016	207.12	Oct. 1, 2019	236.70	Apr. 1, 2023	270.49
May 1, 2016	207.78	Nov. 1, 2019	237.45	May 1, 2023	271.36
Jun. 1, 2016	208.44	Dec. 1, 2019	238.21	Jun. 1, 2023	272.22
Jul. 1, 2016	209.11	Jan. 1, 2020	238.97	Jul. 1, 2023	273.09
Aug. 1, 2016	209.77	Feb. 1, 2020	239.73	Aug. 1, 2023	273.96
Sep. 1, 2016	210.44	Mar. 1, 2020	240.49	Sep. 1, 2023	274.83
Oct. 1, 2016	211.11	Apr. 1, 2020	241.25	Oct. 1, 2023	275.70
Nov. 1, 2016	211.78	May 1, 2020	242.02	Nov. 1, 2023	276.58
Dec. 1, 2016	212.46	Jun. 1, 2020	242.79	Dec. 1, 2023	277.46
Jan. 1, 2017	213.13	Jul. 1, 2020	243.57	Jan. 1, 2024	278.34
Feb. 1, 2017	213.81	Aug. 1, 2020	244.34	Feb. 1, 2024	279.23
Mar. 1, 2017	214.49	Sep. 1, 2020	245.12	Mar. 1, 2024	280.12
Apr. 1, 2017	215.17	Oct. 1, 2020	245.90	Apr. 1, 2024	281.01
May 1, 2017	215.86	Nov. 1, 2020	246.68	May 1, 2024	281.90
Jun. 1, 2017	216.55	Dec. 1, 2020	247.47	Jun. 1, 2024	282.80
Jul. 1, 2017	217.24	Jan. 1, 2021	248.25	Jul. 1, 2024	283.70
Aug. 1, 2017	217.93	Feb. 1, 2021	249.04	Aug. 1, 2024	284.60
Sep. 1, 2017	218.62	Mar. 1, 2021	249.84	Sep. 1, 2024	285.51
Oct. 1, 2017	219.32	Apr. 1, 2021	250.63	Oct. 1, 2024	286.42
Nov. 1, 2017	220.01	May 1, 2021	251.43	Nov. 1, 2024	287.33
Dec. 1, 2017	220.71	Jun. 1, 2021	252.23	Dec. 1, 2024	288.24
Jan. 1, 2018	221.42	Jul. 1, 2021	253.03	Jan. 1, 2025	289.16
Feb. 1, 2018	222.12	Aug. 1, 2021	253.84	Feb. 1, 2025	290.08
Mar. 1, 2018	222.83	Sep. 1, 2021	254.65	Mar. 1, 2025	291.01
Apr. 1, 2018	223.54	Oct. 1, 2021	255.46	Apr. 1, 2025	291.93
May 1, 2018	224.25	Nov. 1, 2021	256.27	May 1, 2025	292.86
Jun. 1, 2018	224.96	Dec. 1, 2021	257.09	Jun. 1, 2025	293.79
Jul. 1, 2018	225.68	Jan. 1, 2022	257.90	Jul. 1, 2025	294.73
Aug. 1, 2018	226.40	Feb. 1, 2022	258.72	Aug. 1, 2025	295.67
Sep. 1, 2018	227.12	Mar. 1, 2022	259.55	Sep. 1, 2025	296.61
Oct. 1, 2018	227.84	Apr. 1, 2022	260.37	Oct. 1, 2025	297.55
Nov. 1, 2018	228.57	May 1, 2022	261.20	Nov. 1, 2025	298.50
Dec. 1, 2018	229.29	Jun. 1, 2022	262.03	Dec. 1, 2025	299.45
Jan. 1, 2019	230.02	Jul. 1, 2022	262.87	Jan. 1, 2026	300.40
Feb. 1, 2019	230.76	Aug. 1, 2022	263.70	Feb. 1, 2026	301.36
Mar. 1, 2019	231.49	Sep. 1, 2022	264.54	Mar. 1, 2026	302.32
Apr. 1, 2019	232.23	Oct. 1, 2022	265.39	Apr. 1, 2026	303.28
May 1, 2019	232.97	Nov. 1, 2022	266.23	May 1, 2026	304.24
Jun. 1, 2019	233.71	Dec. 1, 2022	267.08	Jun. 1, 2026	305.21
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Jul. 1, 2026	\$ 306.18	Jun. 1, 2029	\$ 342.21	May 1, 2032	\$ 382.47
Aug. 1, 2026	307.16	Jul. 1, 2029	343.30	Jun. 1, 2032	383.68
Sep. 1, 2026	308.14	Aug. 1, 2029	344.39	Jul. 1, 2032	384.90
Oct. 1, 2026	309.12	Sep. 1, 2029	345.48	Aug. 1, 2032	386.13
Nov. 1, 2026	310.10	Oct. 1, 2029	346.58	Sep. 1, 2032	387.36
Dec. 1, 2026	311.09	Nov. 1, 2029	347.69	Oct. 1, 2032	388.59
Jan. 1, 2027	312.08	Dec. 1, 2029	348.79	Nov. 1, 2032	389.83
Feb. 1, 2027	313.07	Jan. 1, 2030	349.90	Dec. 1, 2032	391.07
Mar. 1, 2027	314.07	Feb. 1, 2030	351.02	Jan. 1, 2033	392.31
Apr. 1, 2027	315.07	Mar. 1, 2030	352.13	Feb. 1, 2033	393.56
May 1, 2027	316.07	Apr. 1, 2030	353.26	Mar. 1, 2033	394.81
Jun. 1, 2027	317.08	May 1, 2030	354.38	Apr. 1, 2033	396.07
Jul. 1, 2027	318.09	Jun. 1, 2030	355.51	May 1, 2033	397.33
Aug. 1, 2027	319.10	Jul. 1, 2030	356.64	Jun. 1, 2033	398.60
Sep. 1, 2027	320.11	Aug. 1, 2030	357.77	Jul. 1, 2033	399.87
Oct. 1, 2027	321.13	Sep. 1, 2030	358.91	Aug. 1, 2033	401.14
Nov. 1, 2027	322.16	Oct. 1, 2030	360.06	Sep. 1, 2033	402.41
Dec. 1, 2027	323.18	Nov. 1, 2030	361.20	Oct. 1, 2033	403.70
Jan. 1, 2028	324.21	Dec. 1, 2030	362.35	Nov. 1, 2033	404.98
Feb. 1, 2028	325.24	Jan. 1, 2031	363.50	Dec. 1, 2033	406.27
Mar. 1, 2028	326.28	Feb. 1, 2031	364.66	Jan. 1, 2034	407.56
Apr. 1, 2028	327.32	Mar. 1, 2031	365.82		
May 1, 2028	328.36	Apr. 1, 2031	366.99		
Jun. 1, 2028	329.40	May 1, 2031	368.15		
Jul. 1, 2028	330.45	Jun. 1, 2031	369.33		
Aug. 1, 2028	331.50	Jul. 1, 2031	370.50		
Sep. 1, 2028	332.56	Aug. 1, 2031	371.68		
Oct. 1, 2028	333.62	Sep. 1, 2031	372.86		
Nov. 1, 2028	334.68	Oct. 1, 2031	374.05		
Dec. 1, 2028	335.74	Nov. 1, 2031	375.24		
Jan. 1, 2029	336.81	Dec. 1, 2031	376.44		
Feb. 1, 2029	337.88	Jan. 1, 2032	377.63		
Mar. 1, 2029	338.96	Feb. 1, 2032	378.84		
Apr. 1, 2029	340.04	Mar. 1, 2032	380.04		
May 1, 2029	341.12	Apr. 1, 2032	381.25		

DESCRIPTION OF BOOK-ENTRY ONLY SYSTEM

Unless and until the book-entry only system is discontinued, the 2015M1 Bonds will be available only in book-entry form in authorized denominations. Owners of the 2015M1 Bonds will be listed in the books of record of the Registrar. Owners of the 2015M1 Bonds will not receive physical bond certificates representing their interests in the 2015M1 Bonds purchased.

Transfers of ownership interests in the 2015M1 Bonds are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of the Trustee acting on behalf of Owners. Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in the 2015M1 Bonds, unless the use of the book-entry system for the 2015M1 Bonds is discontinued.

LONG-TERM CAPITAL STRUCTURE PLAN

Traditionally, the Authority has amortized its debt taking into consideration the potential termination of the Central Agreement hereafter defined, and the expected lives of its capital assets. See "CUSTOMER BASE -- Wholesale - Central." In light of the May 20, 2013 extension of the earliest possible termination date of the Central Agreement from 2030 to 2058, the Authority is in the process of extending the average life of its debt in order to better align its debt amortization to the expected lives of its capital assets. The Authority expects to achieve this alignment through a combination of selling longer dated debt for a portion of the Authority's capital needs, and restructuring to extend the maturity of a portion of its existing debt. While the size and scope of this restructuring program will evolve over time, the Authority estimates that it has substantially completed the restructuring portion of the program, by refinancing and extending approximately \$600 million of its existing debt.

FINANCING PLAN FOR SUMMER NUCLEAR UNITS 2 AND 3

The Authority currently estimates the total construction budget associated with a 45% ownership interest in the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Generating Station Units 2 and 3 ("Summer Nuclear Unit 2" and "Summer Nuclear Unit 3" and together "Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3") to be approximately \$5.1 billion including approximately \$168 million for transmission and approximately \$138 million for the initial fuel core and the remaining \$4.8 billion for construction of the units. To date, the Authority has financed approximately \$3.6 billion for construction from proceeds of issues sold beginning in 2008. The Authority intends to fund the remaining construction with the proceeds of additional bond sales projected in calendar years 2015 through 2018 and proceeds from the sale of a 5% project ownership interest to South Carolina Electric & Gas ("SCE&G"). While the Authority expects to fund the remaining construction of Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 with Revenue Obligations and Commercial Paper Notes, it also has a pending application with the Department of Energy ("DOE") for a loan guarantee to fund construction should it be beneficial to do so. For further discussion see "CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM -- Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3."

DEBT SERVICE SCHEDULE(1)

(Thousands of Dollars)

The following table sets forth on an accrual basis the debt service due on outstanding Revenue Obligations, the 2015M1 Bonds, and the total debt service in each calendar year indicated. See "LONG-TERM CAPITAL STRUCTURE PLAN."

	Outstanding Revenue Obligations(2)	2015M1 Bonds	Total Debt <u>Service</u>
2015	\$ 433,931(3)	\$ 617	\$ 434,548
2016	570,723(3)	925	571,648
2017	478,057	925	478,982
2018	488,793	925	489,718
2019	489,296	6,945	496,241
2020	483,167	820	483,987
2021	505,694	820	506,514
2022	431,229	820	432,049
2023	408,422	3,809	412,231
2024	399,343	3,729	403,072
2025	404,964	747	405,711
2026	400,344	747	401,091
2027	387,980	747	388,727
2028	404,468	4,462	408,930
2029	408,733	6,675	415,408
2030	375,128	540	375,668
2031	371,703	540	372,243
2032	337,129	540	337,669
2033	389,113	5,709	394,822
2034	361,688	14,563	376,251
2035	367,039		367,039
2036	394,298		394,298
2037	344,585		344,585
2038	309,118		309,118
2039	303,304		303,304
2040	305,434		305,434
2041	333,187		333,187
2042	329,928		329,928
2043	341,498		341,498
2044	348,792		348,792
2045	358,786		358,786
2046	376,991		376,991
2047	303,554		303,554
2048	298,352		298,352
2049	285,531		285,531
2050	215,858		215,858
2051	160,754		106,754
2052	160,759		160,759
2053	155,801		155,801
2054	101,241		101,241
2055	20,482		20,482

- Does not include debt service on Commercial Paper Notes, which are junior to debt service on Revenue Obligations. Does not reflect
 puts subsequent to December 15, 2014 of Revenue Obligations subject to tender for elective purchase.
- (2) Net of Subsidy Payment (hereinafter defined). Subject to the Authority's compliance with certain requirements under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), the Authority expects to receive cash subsidy payments from the United States Treasury equal to 35% of the interest payable on the Revenue Obligations, 2010 Series C Bonds (the "2010C Bonds") (any such payment, a "Subsidy Payment"). Pursuant to the requirements of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, certain automatic reductions took place March 1, 2013. These required reductions include a reduction to refundable credits under section 6431 of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to certain qualified bonds. The sequestration reduction rate of 7.3% has been applied to the July 1, 2015 and January 1, 2016 Subsidy Payments respectively, and the debt service on Revenue Obligations in calendar year 2015 has been adjusted accordingly.
- (3) Includes actual interest on the 2013 Taxable Series D (LIBOR Index Bonds) through June 1, 2015, and thereafter based on a projected 1 Month LIBOR rate of 1.00%. Principal on the LIBOR Index Bonds is shown in the year due rather than on an accrual basis.

SECURITY FOR THE 2015M1 BONDS

General

The 2015M1 Bonds are payable solely from, and secured by a lien upon and pledge of, the Revenues on a parity with the lien and pledge securing Revenue Obligations heretofore and hereafter issued pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution, senior to (i) payments required to be made from or retained in the Revenue Fund to pay expenses of operating and maintaining the System, and (ii) the payments into the Capital Improvement Fund heretofore established and continued under the Revenue Obligation Resolution. See "FINANCIAL INFORMATION." In the Revenue Obligation Resolution the Authority has covenanted not to incur any indebtedness senior to the lien of the Revenue Obligations.

The Revenue Obligations, including the 2015M1 Bonds, are not indebtedness of the State, nor of any political subdivision thereof, and neither the State nor any of its political subdivisions shall be liable thereon, nor shall they be payable from any funds other than the Revenues of the Authority pledged to the payment thereof.

Additional series of Revenue Obligations may be issued without limitation and without compliance with any additional bonds test, provided there is no default under the Revenue Obligation Resolution. In addition, no debt service reserve fund is established under the Revenue Obligation Resolution. See Appendix II -- "SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE REVENUE OBLIGATION RESOLUTION."

Rate Covenant

The Revenue Obligation Resolution provides that the Authority shall establish, maintain and collect rents, tolls, rates and other charges for power and energy and all other services, facilities and commodities sold, furnished or supplied through the facilities of the System which shall be adequate to provide the Authority with Revenues sufficient: (a) to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Revenue Obligations as and when the same shall become due and payable; (b) to make when due all payments which the Authority is obligated to make (i) into the Revenue Obligation Fund created under the Revenue Obligation Resolution, and (ii) into the Capital Improvement Fund pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution; (c) to make all other payments which the Authority is obligated to make pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution; (d) to pay all proper operation and maintenance expenses and all necessary repairs, replacements and renewals thereof; (e) to pay all taxes, assessments or other governmental charges lawfully imposed on the Authority or the Revenues thereof or payments in lieu thereof; and (f) to pay any and all amounts which the Authority may become obligated to pay from the Revenues of the System by law or by contract.

As required by the Act, the Authority makes distributions to the State and payments in lieu of taxes to local governments. Nothing in the Act prohibits the Authority from paying to the State each year up to 1% of its projected operating revenues, as such revenues would be determined on an accrual basis, from the combined electric and water systems. In 2014, distributions to the State and payments to local governments amounted to approximately \$31,154,000.

There is no governmental or regulatory entity, other than the Authority's Board of Directors, having jurisdiction over the rates of the Authority.

Additional Indebtedness

The Revenue Obligation Resolution does not prohibit the issuance of obligations secured by a pledge of the Revenues junior and subordinate to the pledge securing the Revenue Obligations. In addition, the Authority may issue obligations secured by a pledge of revenues derived from separate utility systems not included in the System. See Appendix II -- "SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE REVENUE OBLIGATION RESOLUTION -- Separate Systems."

Capital Improvement Fund Requirement

The Revenue Obligation Resolution requires, so long as any Revenue Obligations are outstanding, that the Authority deposit annually into the Capital Improvement Fund an amount which, together with the amounts deposited therein in the two immediately preceding Fiscal Years, will be at least equal to 8% of the Revenues required by the Revenue Obligation Resolution to be paid into the Revenue Fund in the three immediately preceding Fiscal Years. Permitted use of moneys in the Capital Improvement Fund includes but is not limited to payment of Capital Costs, as defined in the Revenue Obligation Resolution. See Appendix II -- "SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE REVENUE OBLIGATION RESOLUTION."

ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE AUTHORITY

The Act contains provisions governing the composition, qualifications, appointment and duties of the Authority's Board of Directors. The Governor appoints members, and the State Regulation of Public Utilities Review Committee ("PURC") screens appointees to determine whether they have the qualifications required by the Act. After successful screening, appointees must be confirmed by the State Senate. The Act describes the duties of directors and sets forth conditions by which a director may be held accountable for his actions or inactions as a director.

The Board consists of twelve members who reside in South Carolina as follows: one from each congressional district of the State; one from each of the counties of Berkeley, Horry and Georgetown who reside in the territory of the Authority and are customers of the Authority, and two from the State at large, one of whom shall be chairman. Two of the directors must have substantial work experience within the operations of electric cooperatives or substantial experience on an electric cooperative board, but must not serve as an employee or board member of an electric cooperative during their term as director of the Authority. One of the two must have substantial experience within the operations or board of a transmission or generation cooperative.

Directors serve for a term of seven years and until a successor has been appointed and found qualified. Directors appointed to fill a vacancy on the Board serve for the unexpired portion of the term and until a successor is appointed and found qualified. An individual appointed and found qualified by the PURC while the State Senate is not in session may serve as director in an interim capacity. Directors may be removed from office only for cause.

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There is currently one vacancy on the Board. Present directors are listed below:

			Term
			Expires
<u>Name</u>	Business	Residence	<u>May</u>
W. Leighton Lord III,			
Chairman	Attorney	Columbia	2018
William A. Finn,			
First Vice Chairman	Business Executive	Mt. Pleasant	2020
Barry D. Wynn,			
Second Vice Chairman	Business Executive	Spartanburg	2014(1)
Peggy H. Pinnell	Business Executive	Moncks Corner	2014(1)
Dan J. Ray	Business Executive	Pawleys Island	2015
Jack F. Wolfe, Jr.	Retired Business Executive	Chapin	2015
David F. Singleton	Business Executive	Myrtle Beach	2016
Kristofer D. Clark	Business Executive	Easley	2019
Merrell W. Floyd	Retired Business Executive	Conway	2019
Catherine E. Heigel	Business Executive	Greenville	2019
J. Calhoun Land IV	Attorney	Manning	2020

⁽¹⁾ Although their terms expired as indicated, they may continue to serve until successors have been appointed and qualified.

The President and Chief Executive Officer of the Authority is appointed by the Authority's Board of Directors. The Authority's executive management is appointed by the President and Chief Executive Officer with the approval of the Authority's Board of Directors.

Authority executive management is:

Name	Position	Utility <u>Experience</u>
Lonnie N. Carter	President and Chief Executive Officer	32 years
Jeffrey D. Armfield	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	31 years
J. Michael Baxley	Senior Vice President and General Counsel	1 year
Michael R. Crosby	Senior Vice President, Nuclear Energy	29 years
Robert B. Fleming, Jr.	Senior Vice President, Power Delivery	22 years
L. Phil Pierce	Senior Vice President, Generation	36 years
Marc R. Tye	Senior Vice President, Customer Service	32 years
Pamela J. Williams	Senior Vice President, Corporate Services	13 years

Lonnie N. Carter joined the Authority in 1982 as an employee in the Controller's Office. Since that time he has held various positions, including Manager of Corporate Forecasting, Vice President of Corporate Forecasting, Senior Vice President of Customer Service and Senior Vice President of Corporate Planning & Bulk Power. In 2004, he became President and Chief Executive Officer. In addition, in 1997, he served as the first President and Chief Executive Officer of The Energy Authority, Inc. ("TEA"), a joint power marketing alliance through a non-profit corporation, whereby the Authority can purchase or sell energy and/or capacity when available. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration and a Masters in Business Administration from The Citadel.

Jeffrey D. Armfield joined the Authority in 1983 as a Senior Auditor. Since that time he has held various positions, including Vice President, Fuels Strategy and Supply, Treasurer and Director of Financial Planning. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business and a Masters in Business Administration from The Citadel and is a Certified Public Accountant.

J. Michael Baxley joined the Authority in April 2014 as Senior Vice President and General Counsel and a member of the executive management team. He practiced law in private practice from 1982 to 2000 and served as a judge of the South Carolina Circuit Court from 2000 to April 2014. He also served as a member

of the South Carolina House of Representatives from 1987 to 1998. He received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from Clemson University and a Juris Doctor degree with honors from the University of South Carolina School of Law.

Michael R. Crosby became Senior Vice President, Nuclear Energy, on May 1, 2014. He joined the Authority in 1985 as an engineer. Since that time, he has held various positions, including Manager of Station Construction and Vice President, Nuclear Operations and Construction. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of South Carolina and a Masters in Business Administration from The Citadel.

Robert B. Fleming, Jr. joined the Authority in 1992 as an engineer. Since that time he has held various positions including Manager of Transmission Operations, Superintendent of System Substation Maintenance and Supervisor of Mechanical Maintenance at Cross Generating Station. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of South Carolina and a Masters in Business Administration from The Citadel.

L. Phil Pierce joined the Authority in 1979 as an engineer. Since that time he has held various positions, including Manager of Performance & Environmental Services and Manager of Cross Station Construction. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Clemson University.

Marc R. Tye joined the Authority in 1984 as an engineer. Since that time he has held various positions, including Manager of Corporate Analysis & Pricing and Manager of Wholesale Markets. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering and a Masters in Business Administration from The Citadel.

Pamela J. Williams became Senior Vice President, Corporate Services on May 1, 2014. She joined the Authority in 2001 as Associate General Counsel for Corporate Affairs. In 2006, she took on the additional duties of corporate secretary. She moved to Vice President, Administration in 2011. Prior to joining the Authority she served as corporate counsel for The Clorox Company. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics from the College of Charleston and a Juris Doctor degree from the University of Virginia School of Law.

The Authority had 1,748 employees as of March 31, 2015. Authority employees are members of a contributory state pension plan administered by the South Carolina State Retirement System.

The Act establishes an Advisory Board composed of the following officials of the State: the Governor, the Attorney General, the State Treasurer, the Comptroller General and the Secretary of State. The Advisory Board approves the hiring of the external auditors and sets the salary of the Authority's Board of Directors.

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CUSTOMER BASE

Service Area

The Authority's primary business operation is the production, transmission and distribution of electrical energy, both at wholesale and retail, to citizens of South Carolina. In 2014, the Authority's kilowatt-hour ("kWh") energy sales were comprised of 59.1% to wholesale customers, 26.8% to large industrial customers and 14.1% to residential, commercial and other customers. The Authority is one of the nation's largest municipal wholesale utilities, whose System serves directly or indirectly approximately 2 million South Carolinians in all 46 counties of South Carolina. The Authority serves directly and indirectly suburban areas outside Charleston, Columbia, Greenville and Spartanburg as well as the coastal areas of Myrtle Beach and the Grand Strand, Hilton Head Island, Kiawah Island and Seabrook Island. See "HISTORICAL SALES – Historical Demand, Sales and Revenues."

The Authority's direct customers currently include 27 large industrial customers, Central Electric Power Cooperative Inc. ("Central"), and two municipal electric systems, the City of Georgetown and the City of Bamberg. Central is an association of 20 electric distribution cooperatives, including the five electric distribution cooperatives that were formerly members of Saluda River Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Saluda"). Central serves primarily residential, commercial and small industrial customers in all 46 counties of the State. Through Central and the two municipal electric systems, the Authority indirectly serves approximately 760,000 customers. See "CUSTOMER BASE - Wholesale - Central" and "CUSTOMER BASE - Wholesale - Other."

The Authority also serves directly approximately 172,000 residential, commercial and small industrial retail customers in its assigned retail service territory, which includes parts of Berkeley, Georgetown and Horry counties. See "CUSTOMER BASE - Direct Retail Service Area."

Under State law, the Authority has an exclusive right to serve within its assigned retail service territory, and it has the exclusive right to continue to serve the large industrial premises outside its assigned service territory that it is currently serving. If any customers, premises, or electric cooperatives located outside the present service area of the Authority and being served by the Authority, including any subsequent expansions or additions by such customers, premises, or cooperatives, cease or discontinue accepting electrical service from the Authority, the Authority may subsequently sell and furnish electrical service to new customers, premises, or electric cooperatives from its major transmission lines in an amount not exceeding the amount of power the sale of which was lost by reason of such discontinuation of service.

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Wholesale - Central

Central is a generation and transmission cooperative that provides wholesale electric service to each of the 20 distribution cooperatives (the "Central Cooperatives") which are members of Central pursuant to long-term all requirements power supply agreements. The Central Cooperatives serve areas ranging from sparsely populated rural areas to heavily populated suburban areas. The table below lists each of the Central Cooperatives, the location of their headquarters, and the number of customers of each as of December 31, 2014.

Central Cooperatives	Headquarters	Customers
Aiken Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Aiken	46,000
Berkeley Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Moncks Corner	88,111
Black River Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Sumter	31,814
Blue Ridge Electric Cooperative, Inc.(1)	Pickens	63,992
Broad River Electric Cooperative, Inc.(1)	Gaffney	20,603
Coastal Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Walterboro	11,555
Edisto Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Bamberg	19,833
Fairfield Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Winnsboro	27,074
Horry Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Conway	71,697
Laurens Electric Cooperative, Inc.(1)	Laurens	54,827
Little River Electric Cooperative, Inc.(1)	Abbeville	14,087
Lynches River Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Pageland	20,539
Marlboro Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Bennettsville	6,436
Mid-Carolina Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Lexington	54,035
Newberry Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Newberry	12,675
Palmetto Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Ridgeland	68,869
Pee Dee Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Darlington	30,280
Santee Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Kingstree	43,831
Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc.	St. Matthews	17,854
York Electric Cooperative, Inc.(1)	York	48,233

⁽¹⁾ Former members of Saluda ("Former Saluda Members").

The Authority supplies the total power and energy requirements of the Central Cooperatives less amounts which Central purchases directly from Southeastern Power Administration (the "SEPA") and amounts provided by Duke Energy Carolinas under the September 2009 Agreement referenced below, and small amounts purchased from others.

The Authority serves Central under the terms of an agreement between the Authority and Central which became effective in January 1981 (as subsequently amended or revised, the "Central Agreement"). In 2014, revenues pursuant to the Central Agreement amounted to approximately 56.6% of revenues from sales. The Authority and Central adopted an amendment to the Central Agreement in January 1988 which included a number of revisions to the cost of service methodology, established that the Authority would supply the total power and energy requirements of the Central Cooperatives (with some limited exceptions) and provided that the Central Agreement would have a perpetual duration with a 35 year initial term ending March 31, 2023 and an automatic renewal for successive 35 year periods, subject to the right of either party to terminate the Central Agreement on any date on or after the end of such initial 35 year term, upon giving at least 10 years' notice.

September 2009 Agreement. In September 2009 Central and the Authority entered into an agreement (the "September 2009 Agreement") that, among other things, provided that neither party would exercise its right to terminate the Central Agreement effective on or before December 31, 2030. The Authority agreed in the September 2009 Agreement to allow Central to transition the purchase of the portion of the power and energy requirements of the five Former Saluda Members directly connected to the transmission system of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("Duke Energy Carolinas") (the "Upstate Load") to another supplier and in January 2013, Central began transitioning the Upstate Load to Duke Energy Carolinas, a subsidiary of Duke Energy Corporation ("Duke"). The September 2009 Agreement provides for approximately 15% of the Upstate Load to transition to Duke annually between 2013 - 2018, with the remaining 10% of the Upstate Load transitioning to Duke in 2019. This will amount to approximately 900 Megawatts ("MW"). Nothing would preclude the Authority serving this load when the Duke agreement ends on December 31, 2030.

May 2013 Revision to the Central Agreement. The Authority and Central adopted an amendment to the Central Agreement on May 20, 2013 (the "May 2013 Revision") that better aligns their future interests, formalizes how they will jointly plan for new resources, and defers their rights to terminate the agreement until December 31, 2058. Under the Central Agreement's 10 year rolling notice provisions, for a termination date of December 31, 2058, a party must give notice of termination no later than December 31, 2048. Central has entered into requirements agreements with all 20 of its member cooperatives that extend through December 31, 2058 and obligate those members to pay their share of Central's costs, including costs paid under the Central Agreement.

Rates under the Central Agreement continue to be developed under a cost of service methodology and to be adjusted automatically on a monthly basis to reflect actual fuel cost and to be adjusted on an annual basis to reflect actual non-fuel cost, including O&M, debt service and a Capital Improvement Fund charge. Modifications to the cost of service methodology include allocating debt service and Capital Improvement Fund charges to the cost categories based on plant balances and allocating production related cost in a manner that reflects the nature of the generating resources.

Under the May 2013 Revision the requirements provisions of the Central Agreement are retained. Central will continue to pay for its pro-rata share of the existing system resources, including Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3. The May 2013 Revision formalizes the resource planning process and outlines how the parties will jointly plan and determine the need for new resources. The May 2013 Revision also contains provisions that allow Central to decide to participate or not participate in major new resources which were not completed or under construction as of January 1, 2013. If Central decides to participate in a resource, the costs for the new resource are included and shared under the Central Agreement. If Central decides not to participate in a proposed resource, the parties will obtain their own resources based on their pro-rata share of the proposed resource and each party will be responsible for the cost of its own non-shared resources.

The May 2013 Revision provides certainty to the planning process and, with the earliest termination date deferred to December 2058, will allow the Authority to align its existing and future debt service with the useful lives of its assets and its future revenue stream.

Palmetto Economic Development Corporation. Central and the Authority have joined together to form a joint economic development effort, known as the Palmetto Economic Development Corporation, to benefit the State, the Authority and Central. Formed in September 1988, it works to more effectively recruit new industries and to increase job opportunities throughout the State. The joint operation is governed by an eight-member board of directors, four named by Central and four named by the Authority. In February 2012, the Authority and Central announced economic development rates for new and expanded large industrial loads to further enhance their economic development efforts and expanded those efforts with additional economic development rates in 2014. See "CUSTOMER BASE - Business Growth Initiatives."

Wholesale - Other

In addition to Central, the Authority provides wholesale electric service to the City of Georgetown, the City of Bamberg, and SCE&G pursuant to long-term contracts. New service agreements were executed in 2013 with the City of Georgetown and the City of Bamberg for 10 years and 20 years, respectively. Sales to these customers and off-system sales to other utilities and power marketers during 2014 represented approximately 3.2% of revenues from sales. The Authority has executed a service agreement to provide wholesale electric service to the City of Seneca, SC beginning July 1, 2015. This new service agreement has a term of 10 years.

The Authority has a long-term power agreement with Piedmont Municipal Power Agency ("PMPA") pursuant to which the Authority provides PMPA its supplemental electric power and energy requirements (ranging from approximately 200 MW to 300 MW) above its current resources. This agreement commenced on January 1, 2014, for a term of no less than 12 years.

The Authority also has an agreement pursuant to which it provides Alabama Municipal Electric Authority 50 MW unit-contingent capacity and associated energy (25 MW - 50 MW). This agreement commenced on January 1, 2014, for a term of 10 years.

Direct Retail Service Area

The Authority owns distribution facilities and serves in two non-contiguous areas covering portions of Berkeley, Georgetown and Horry Counties. These service areas include 2,806 miles of distribution lines. The following table presents retail customer growth from 2010 through 2014 in these areas.

Commercial					
		and		Annual	
<u>Year</u>	Residential	Small Industrial	<u>Total</u>	Increase %	
2010	134,704	28,897	163,601	0.4	
2011	136,047	28,600	164,647	0.6	
2012	138,353	28,456	166,809	1.3	
2013	140,126	28,687	168,813	1.2	
2014	142,663	28,904	171,567	1.6	

Sales to residential, commercial, small industrial customers and certain other customers are made pursuant to rate schedules established from time to time by the Authority. The vast majority of such rate schedules include monthly automatic fuel adjustment and demand sales adjustment clauses. Sales to this customer group represented approximately 20.0% of revenues from sales in 2014.

Large Industrial Contracts

Sales to large industrial customers are made pursuant to long-term contracts. The Authority offers a large power rate schedule prepared on a cost of service basis for large industrial customers which contract for a minimum of 1,000 kilowatts ("kW"). The Authority requires that such customers enter into contracts for initial periods of not less than five years. All contracts contain rate provisions of the demand and energy type, and include monthly automatic fuel adjustment and demand sales adjustment clauses, minimum demand charges and other provisions generally used in large industrial power rate schedules. The average cost per kWh varies depending upon the customer's usage and load factor.

Sales to large industrial customers during 2014 represented approximately 20.2% of revenues from sales, which includes 8.8% for Alumax of South Carolina, Inc. ("Alumax"), 4.7% for Nucor Corporation ("Nucor"), and 4.8% for the next eight largest industrial customers, of which no one customer represents more than 1.3% of sales. Of the 20.2% of revenues from sales, approximately 68.0% represents fuel cost recovery.

Long-Term Power Contract with Alumax. The Authority has a long-term power contract with Alumax which extends through December 31, 2015. The contract provides for the delivery of approximately 400 MW of power under three different rate schedules or riders. Approximately 25% of the load is currently served under the Authority's firm industrial rate schedule, with the majority of the remainder served under the supplemental curtailable schedule. A small portion of the load is served under the interruptible rate schedule. Alumax's obligations under the contract are guaranteed by its parent company, Alcoa, Inc. The term of the current contract expires on December 31, 2015. Alumax has notified the Authority on June 30, 2014 that it does not intend to extend the contract under the existing terms and will exercise its right to terminate the contract at the end if its term. Alumax has agreed to enter into discussions with the Authority regarding a new contract commencing on January 1, 2016. These discussions are ongoing at this time, however the Authority cannot predict the outcome of these discussions. In addition to the standard termination provision invoked as referenced above, the contract contains a provision that allows for early termination if certain conditions based on the price of aluminum are met. Since September 1, 2010, conditions have been met that would allow Alumax to terminate the contract. At this time conditions have been met that would allow Alumax to terminate the contract with nine months prior notice. A significant portion of the load is fuel related or served under nonfirm rates schedules; therefore, automatic cost recovery mechanisms ensure the net margin impact to the Authority is insignificant.

In a transaction that closed on November 30, 2014, Alumax's minority (49.7%) owner, Century Aluminum Company ("Century"), purchased Alcoa Inc.'s majority (50.3%) ownership share of the Alumax smelter and became sole owner and operator of the facility. Century consolidated its interest in a pre-existing wholly owned subsidiary, Berkeley Aluminum, Inc., and executed a guaranty from Century to replace the

existing guaranty from Alcoa, Inc. In addition, Century provided to the Authority an irrevocable letter of credit that was issued on December 1, 2014. The amount available under the letter of credit reduces automatically beginning April 1, 2015 and expires on February 1, 2016 after service provided under the current agreement terminates on December 31, 2015. This does not affect current discussions that are ongoing or change the termination notice.

Long-Term Power Contract with Nucor. The Authority has a long-term power contract with Nucor which extends through April 30, 2017 and provides for two year rollover terms thereafter. Under the notice provisions of the Authority's large light and power service, Nucor must provide four years notice to bring its load to zero. Such notice has not been given. The contract currently provides for delivery of approximately 300 MW of power, the majority of which is provided under the interruptible rate schedule.

Business Growth Initiatives

The Authority's business growth initiatives revolve around four strategic initiatives – marketing, product development, project management, and competitive rates. The Authority is marketing industrial and commercial properties that are served directly by the Authority and its cooperative and municipal customers. Product development activities include the creation and/or improvement of industrial properties, the acquisition of property, expansion of infrastructure into industrial properties, and/or constructing buildings for industrial uses. Since June 2012, the Authority has invested over \$50 million throughout South Carolina in product development through a low-interest revolving loan pool to public entities. Recently, the Authority has created two additional funds to further improve the readiness of industrial sites in cooperative and municipal customers' territories. The Authority has also added a new economic development rate, the Experimental Large Light and Power Economic Development Service Tiered Rider, in addition to its existing economic development rider. Both rates are targeted at attracting new and expanding industrial loads and are available to the Authority's direct served industrial loads and to be passed through to the Authority's wholesale customers located in South Carolina.

RATES AND RATE COMPARISON

Rates

The Authority's Board of Directors is empowered and required to set rates as necessary to provide for expenses, including debt service, of the Authority. The Authority monitors rates and management recommends adjustments as necessary. On September 11, 2012, the Authority's Board of Directors approved a series of two base rate adjustments for its retail, industrial and municipal customers. The adjustments increased total charges for customers an average 3.5 percent each year for a total increase of 7 percent to ensure rates are at least adequate to provide revenues sufficient to pay debt service, the cost of operation and maintenance of the Authority's System, and meet the Revenue Obligation requirements for transfers to the Capital Improvement Fund, and all other such costs as necessary. The first adjustment took effect December 1, 2012 and the second took effect on December 1, 2013. On October 17, 2014, the Authority's Board of Directors directed staff to conduct a rate study. The Authority anticipates recommending additional rate increases in late - 2015 to go into effect in the Spring of 2016 time frame based on current projections.

The Authority has developed and offers time-of-use, non-firm and off-peak rates to its direct-served commercial and industrial customers to encourage them to reduce their peak demand. As of December 31, 2014, the Authority had 816 MW of non-firm power under contract. The Authority also has seasonal energy charges for most rates affecting residential, commercial, and industrial customers. Seasonal energy charges reflect higher charges during the summer months when higher energy costs are incurred. The Authority's rate schedules include monthly automatic fuel adjustment clauses which provide for increases or decreases to the basic rate schedules to cover increases or decreases in the cost of fuel to the extent such costs vary from a predetermined base cost. The Authority's rate schedules also include a demand sales adjustment clause which provides for increases or decreases to the basic rate schedules to reflect increases or decreases in demand revenues from non-firm sales (such as supplemental curtailable, interruptible and economy power rate schedules and riders) and off-system sales to the extent such revenues vary from predetermined amounts included as credits to firm base rates.

Rates under the Central Agreement are determined in accordance with the cost of service methodology contained in the Central Agreement. Under the Central Agreement, Central initially pays for its power supply

based on the Authority's projected costs and loads. The charges are then adjusted, on an annual basis, to reflect actual costs and load and Central is charged or credited the difference between the amounts paid based on projected rates and the amounts due based on actual rates. For a more detailed discussion of the Central Agreement see "CUSTOMER BASE - Wholesale - Central."

During 2014 revenues from sales to wholesale requirements customers averaged 7.31 cents per kWh, revenues from sales to large industrial customers averaged 5.44 cents per kWh, and revenues from sales to residential, commercial, small industrial and other customers averaged 10.23 cents per kWh based on the then current rates which included fuel adjustments and credits for demand sales adjustments.

Rate Comparison

The Authority has seasonal rates for the majority of its residential, commercial, and industrial customers. Comparisons of the Authority's average monthly bills or average cost per kWh for firm service at selected usage levels with the average monthly bills of the three investor-owned utilities that serve the State based on rates on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission (the "PSC") as of July 31, 2014 and January 31, 2015 are set forth on the following page.

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As of July 31, 2014 (Summer)

As of July 31, 2014 (Summer)		Residential Electric Service			
		500 kWh	1,000 kWh	2,000 kWh	3,000 kWh
Authority		\$68.30	\$122.59	\$231.18	\$339.77
Duke Energy Carolinas		57.28	106.26	210.43	314.60
Duke Energy Progress		56.43	106.35	206.20	306.05
SCE&G		76.06	144.75	290.07	435.39
		Co	mmercial	Electric	Service
		3,000 kWh		5,000 <u>kWh</u>	7,500 kWh
Authority		\$316.17	y \$3	514.95	\$763.43
Duke Energy Carolinas		274.74		453.65	654.61
Duke Energy Progress		316.64		479.44	682.94
SCE&G		403.63	3	675.15	1,014.55
		Industrial I	Electric Se	ervice	
	1,000 kW 500,000 kWh	2,000 kW 1,000,000 kWh	9,000 5,000 kW	kW ,000	40,000 kW 25,000,000 kWh
Authority	8.18¢	7.88¢	7.33		6.97¢
Duke Energy Carolinas	6.46	6.16	5.82	2	5.67
Duke Energy Progress	7.73	7.69	7.36	5	6.95
SCE&G	8.61	8.41	7.95	5	7.62
As of January 31, 2015 (Non-Summer)					
			esidential l	Electric S	
		500 <u>kWh</u>	1,000 <u>kWh</u>	2,000 kWh	3,000 kWh
Authority		\$59.96	\$105.91	\$197.82	\$289.73
Duke Energy Carolinas		60.49	112.70	223.28	333.85
Duke Energy Progress		56.35	104.25	194.22	284.19
SCE&G		78.11	145.13	275.90	406.67
		Co	mmercial	Electric S	Service
		3,000 kWh		5,000 kWh	7,500 kWh
Authority		\$266.13	\$ \$4	431.55	\$638.33
Duke Energy Carolinas		287.40) .	474.42	685.15
Duke Energy Progress		317.00) 4	480.04	683.84
SCE&G		414.82	2	658.84	963.87
		Industrial	Electric S	ervice	
	1,000 kW 500,000 <u>kWh</u>	2,000 kW 1,000,000 kWh	9,000 5,000 <u>kW</u>	,000	40,000 kW 25,000,000 kWh
Authority	7.05¢	6.75¢	6.20		5.84¢
Duke Energy Carolinas	6.98	6.67	6.32	,	6.15
Duke Energy Progress	7.74	7.70	7.37		6.96
SCE&G	8.85	8.65	8.18	3	7.83

POWER SUPPLY AND POWER MARKETING

Existing Generating Facilities

The Authority's generating facilities consist of the following:

Generating Facilities Location	Initial Date in <u>Service</u>	Winter MCR(1) (MW)	Summer MCR(1) (MW)	Energy Source
Jefferies Hydroelectric Generating				
Station Moncks Corner	1942	127	127	Hydro
Wilson Dam Generating Station Lake Marion	1950	2	2	Hydro
Jefferies Generating Station Moncks Corner				
Nos. 1 and 2(2)	. 1954	88	84	Oil
Combustion Turbines Nos. 1 and 2 Myrtle Beach	1962	20	16	Oil/Gas
Combustion Turbines Nos. 3 and 4 Myrtle Beach	1972	40	38	Oil
Combustion Turbine No. 5 Myrtle Beach	1976	25	21	Oil
Combustion Turbine No. 1 Hilton Head Island	d 1973	20	19	Oil
Combustion Turbine No. 2 Hilton Head Island	d 1974	20	19	Oil
Combustion Turbine No. 3 Hilton Head Island	d 1979	60	52	Oil
Winyah Generating Station Georgetown				
No. 1	. 1975	280	275	Coal
No. 2	. 1977	290	285	Coal
No. 3	. 1980	290	285	Coal
No. 4	. 1981	290	285	Coal
Summer Nuclear Unit 1(3) Jenkinsville	1983	318(4)	318(4)	Nuclear
Cross Generating Station Cross		()	. ,	
Unit 1	. 1995	590	580	Coal
Unit 2	. 1983	585	570	Coal
Unit 3	. 2007	600	600	Coal
Unit 4	. 2008	600	600	Coal
Horry Landfill Gas Station Conway	2001	3	3	LMG(5)
Lee County Landfill Gas Station Bishopville	2005	11	11	LMG
Richland County Landfill Gas Station Elgin	2006	8	8	LMG
Anderson County Landfill Gas Station Belton	2008	3	3	LMG
Georgetown County Landfill Gas Station Georgetown	2010	1	1	LMG
Berkeley County Landfill Gas Station Moncks Corner	2011	3	3	LMG
Rainey Generating Station Starr				
Unit 1	. 2002	520	460	Gas
Unit 2A	. 2002	180	146	Gas
Unit 2B	. 2002	180	146	Gas
Unit 3	. 2004	90	75	Gas
Unit 4	. 2004	90	75	Gas
Unit 5	. 2004	90	<u>75</u>	Gas
Total Capability		<u>5,424</u>	<u>5,182</u>	

⁽¹⁾ Maximum Continuous Ratings ("MCR").

⁽²⁾ These units will be retired within a timeline to be determined by the Authority's management and in compliance with applicable regulatory deadlines.

⁽³⁾ Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Generating Station Unit 1 ("Summer Nuclear Unit 1").
(4) Represents the Authority's one-third ownership interest.
(5) Landfill Methane Gas ("LMG").

Existing Power Resources

The Authority plans for firm power supply from its own generating capacity and firm power contracts to equal its firm load, including a 15% summer reserve margin. The Authority's current total summer MCR of its owned generating capacity is set forth in the table below. The Authority presently receives 84 MW of firm supply from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (the "Corps") and 304 MW of firm hydroelectric power from SEPA. The SEPA allocation consists of 169 MW for wheeling to the SEPA preference customers served by the Authority and 135 MW purchased by the Authority for its customers. The Authority also receives 8 MW of dependable capability from the Buzzards Roost hydroelectric generating facility which it leases from Greenwood County, South Carolina and 75 MW of biomass capacity and associated energy under four power purchase agreements (the first commenced in September 2010 and the most recent in November 2013, with varying terms from 15 to 30 years). There is also an agreement to purchase the output from a 2.5 MW solar photovoltaic facility that started producing power in December of 2013 and has a 20 year term. The Authority has also entered into a purchase agreement with JP Morgan Ventures Energy Corporation for 300 MW of capacity and associated energy beginning June 1, 2012 and continuing through December 31, 2015. The electric generation, transmission and distribution facilities owned by the Authority as well as certain transmission facilities leased from Central, are operated by the Authority as a fully integrated electric system. The Authority has direct interconnections with five entities, including all those with which the Authority has long-term power contracts for energy interchange. See "POWER SUPPLY AND POWER MARKETING -- Interconnections and Interchanges."

The table below details the Authority's resources classified by energy source for the summer power supply peak capability.

Source of Power Supply	(MW)	% of Total
Coal	3,480	58.4
Natural Gas and Oil	1,226	20.6
Nuclear	318	5.3
Owned Hydro Generation	129	2.2
Landfill Methane Gas	<u>29</u>	0.5
Total MCR	5,182	87.0
Purchases	773	13.0
Total MCR and Purchases	<u>5,955</u>	<u>100.00</u>

The following table sets forth performance indicators for the Authority's coal-fired generation for the years 2012 through 2014.

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>
Capacity Factor - %	45.7	43.6	54.3
Availability Factor - %	94.5	92.5	88.9
Forced Outage Rate - %	2.3	1.8	4.5
Net Heat Rate (BTU/kWh)	9,854	9,999	10,095

Performance monitoring systems are in place at the Authority's coal-fired generating stations and at its Rainey Generating Station to optimize each unit's operation while complying with environmental requirements.

All Authority operated units are maintained with computerized maintenance management systems and the use of preventive, predictive, and proactive maintenance practices to achieve high reliability and efficiency at low maintenance cost. In its maintenance program, the Authority utilizes technologies such as vibration analysis, oil analysis, thermography, laser alignment, and non-destructive testing. The Authority continues to implement equipment maintenance programs for the units including major unit components such as control systems, steam generators, and turbine generators. See "CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM."

The following table sets forth performance indicators for the Authority's combined cycle gas-fired generation for the years 2012 through 2014.

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>
Net Capacity Factor - %	78.23	88.45	80.70
Availability Factor - %	89.73	97.20	95.47
Forced Outage Rate - %	0.68	1.33	0.79
Combined Cycle Net Heat Rate (BTU/kWh)	7,206	7,145	7,167

Summer Nuclear Unit 1. The Authority owns a one-third undivided interest in Summer Nuclear Unit 1 which has a pressurized water reactor with a maximum dependable rating of 954 MW net. SCE&G owns the remaining two-thirds interest and operates and maintains Summer Nuclear Unit 1 on its own behalf and as the Authority's agent.

The following table sets forth certain performance indicators for Summer Nuclear Unit 1 for the years 2012 through 2014 and for the period of commercial operation, January 1, 1984 through December 31, 2014. The next refueling outage is scheduled for October 2, 2015.

	2012(1)	2013	2014(2)	January 1, 1984- December 31, 2014
Net Generation MWh	7,281,603	8,369,878	6,914,778	211,245,911
Capacity Factor %	85.8	98.9	81.7	83.6
Availability Factor %	84.9	97.0	80.8	85.2
Forced Outage Rate %	0.0	0.0	4.4	2.5

⁽¹⁾ Fall 2012 - 56 days for scheduled refueling outage

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the "NRC") oversees plant performance through the Reactor Oversight Process ("ROP") assessment program. The ROP assessment program collects information from inspections and performance indicators ("PIs") which the NRC uses to objectively assess a facility's safety performance. The ROP consists of three key strategic performance areas: Reactor Safety, Radiation Safety, and Safeguards. Results for inspections and PIs are classified as green, yellow, white or red, with green being the most favorable. Through the fourth quarter of 2014, Summer Nuclear Unit 1 is in the Licensee Response Column of the ROP Action Matrix because all inspection findings had very low (i.e., green) safety significance, and all PIs indicated that performance was within the nominal, expected range (i.e., green). As a result of being in the Licensee Response Column, NRC oversight of Summer Nuclear Unit 1 is limited to baseline inspections.

In 2004, the NRC extended the operating license for Summer Nuclear Unit 1 to August 6, 2042, which was an additional twenty years.

Under the provisions of the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982, on June 29, 1983 SCE&G and the Authority entered into a contract (the "Standard Contract") with the DOE for spent fuel and high level waste disposal for the operating life of Summer Nuclear Unit 1. The Nuclear Waste Policy Act and the Standard Contract required the DOE to accept and dispose of spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste beginning not later than January 31, 1998. To date, the DOE has not accepted any spent fuel from Summer Nuclear Unit 1 or any other utility, and has not indicated when it anticipates doing so.

Summer Nuclear Unit 1 has licensed on-site spent fuel storage capability until 2017 while still maintaining full core discharge capability. In 2013, construction began on a dry cask storage facility to accommodate the spent nuclear fuel output of Summer Nuclear Unit 1 through the operating license date in 2042. The dry cask storage facility will be available to receive spent nuclear fuel in 2016.

⁽²⁾ Spring 2014 - 57 days for scheduled refueling outage

Unit Retirements. After evaluating the costs of complying with newly adopted federal regulations and the foreseeable generation resource needs for the Authority's system, management determined it would not be cost effective to implement the new environmental measures that would be necessary for continued operation of certain units. In 2012, the Authority's Board of Directors authorized retirement of six electric generating units: Grainger Generating Station Nos. 1 and 2, and Jefferies Generating Station Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4. The Board authorized the President and CEO to develop and execute plans for an orderly retirement of the four coal and two oil units. Grainger Generating Station Nos. 1 and 2 and Jefferies Generating Station Nos. 3 and 4 ceased operations and were officially retired on December 31, 2012. Appropriate notifications were submitted to the federal Environmental Protection Agency (the "EPA") and The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (the "DHEC") to modify existing Title V air operating permits to reflect the cease operation of those units. Jefferies Generating Station Nos. 1 and 2 will be retired within a timeline to be determined by the Authority's management and in compliance with applicable regulatory deadlines.

Renewable Energy Power Purchase Agreements. The Authority has purchase power agreements for approximately 25 MW of biogas-fueled energy from multiple facilities within the State. Commercial operations for these facilities are scheduled over the next three years.

Transmission

The Authority operates an integrated transmission system which includes lines owned and leased by the Authority as well as those owned by Central. The transmission system includes approximately 1,285 miles of 230 kilovolt ("kV"), 1,847 miles of 115 kV, 1,753 miles of 69 kV, 10 miles of 46 kV and 97 miles of 34 kV and below overhead and underground transmission lines. The Authority operates 104 transmission substations and switching stations serving 86 distribution substations and 468 Central Cooperative delivery points. Monitoring and control of integrated power system operations is supported by 91 primary communications sites. The Authority plans the transmission system to operate during normal and contingency conditions that are outlined in electric system reliability standards adopted by the North American Electric Reliability Corporation ("NERC") and to maintain system voltages that are consistent with good utility practice.

Interconnections and Interchanges

The Authority's transmission system is interconnected with other major electric utilities in the region. It is directly interconnected with SCE&G at eight locations; with Duke Energy Progress at eight locations; with Southern Company Services, Inc. ("Southern Company") at one location; and with Duke Energy Carolinas, at two locations. The Authority is also interconnected with SCE&G, Duke Energy Carolinas, Southern Company and SEPA through a five-way interconnection at SEPA's J. Strom Thurmond Hydroelectric Project, and with Southern Company and SEPA through a three-way interconnection at SEPA's R. B. Russell Hydroelectric Project. Through these interconnections, the Authority's transmission system is integrated into the regional transmission system serving the southeastern areas of the United States and the Eastern Interconnection. The Authority has separate interchange agreements with each of the companies with which it is interconnected which provide for mutual exchanges of power.

Reliability Agreements

The Authority is a party to the Virginia-Carolinas Reliability Agreement ("VACAR") which exists for the purpose of safeguarding the reliability of electric service of the parties thereto. Other parties to the VACAR agreement are SCE&G, Duke Energy Progress, Duke Energy Carolinas, APGI-Yadkin Division, Dominion Virginia Power, and Public Works Commission of the City of Fayetteville.

The Authority is also a member of the SERC Reliability Corporation, which is one of 8 regional entities under the NERC.

Distribution

The Authority owns distribution facilities in two service areas: the Berkeley District serving retail customers in St. Stephen, Bonneau Beach, Moncks Corner and Pinopolis; and the Horry-Georgetown Division serving retail customers in Conway, Myrtle Beach, North Myrtle Beach, Loris, Briarcliffe, Surfside Beach, Atlantic Beach, Pawleys Island, unincorporated areas along the Grand Strand and portions of rural Georgetown and Horry Counties. See "CUSTOMER BASE."

General Plant

The Authority owns general plant consisting of office facilities; transportation and heavy equipment; computer equipment; and communication equipment necessary to support the Authority's operations. The Authority has nine customer service offices throughout its direct service territory and corporate headquarters located in Moncks Corner which includes a garage, maintenance facilities and warehouse facilities.

Fuel Supply

During 2014, the Authority's energy supply, including energy wheeled to SEPA preference customers, was derived as set forth in the following table.

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Source of Power Supply	(MWh)
Coal	58.6
Natural Gas and Oil	13.5
Nuclear	8.1
Owned Hydro Generation	1.8
Purchases	17.7
Landfill Methane Gas	0.3
Total	100.0

Coal. The Authority has contracted for bituminous coal for its Winyah and Cross Generating Stations from a number of companies, and additional coal is acquired from spot market purchases. All of the Authority's suppliers have loading facilities for providing delivery of coal in unit train shipments. The Authority owns 1,711 coal cars and periodically supplements its fleet with cars provided by the railroad and through short term leases. Currently, the Authority has 216 coal cars on short term lease. The Authority's current rail transportation contract extends through 2015.

The Authority contracts for solid fuel from three primary coal basins: Central Appalachia, Northern Appalachia, and Illinois Basin. Considering quantity and quality requirements, the Authority uses a combination of these coal supplies with long-term and short-term contracts to meet its solid fuel needs. The Authority evaluates the fuel contracts based on the lowest delivered prices while ensuring and adapting to future needs.

The Authority uses a methodology that reflects the impact of coal to gas switching to calculate its coal days on hand. This methodology for calculating coal days on hand uses the annual amount of coal budgeted to be burned divided by 365. The annual burn budget uses projections based on gas prices and forward price curves available at the time the budget is developed and should therefore factor in coal to gas generation switching based on economics. Using this methodology, the Authority had 202 days of coal on hand as of April 30, 2015. In terms of tonnage, as of April 30, 2015, the Authority had approximately 3.86 million tons of coal on hand. Because of storage capability the Authority has the flexibility to build the coal pile to take advantage of favorable coal market conditions and gas switching capabilities.

Sulfur dioxide ("SO₂") air emission limitations dictate the maximum amount of coal sulfur content that can be used by generating units. The sulfur content of coal received under existing contracts ranges from approximately 0.9% to 3.0%. The Authority believes it can obtain an adequate coal supply with sulfur content within acceptable ranges to meet foreseeable needs. See "REGULATORY MATTERS -- Environmental Matters."

Gas. The Authority has contracted with Transcontinental Gas Pipeline Corporation to provide firm gas transportation in an amount approximately equal to the Rainey Generating Station combined cycle unit at full load. The fixed rate contract will end October 31, 2015; however, the service agreement for the same volume will remain intact on a year to year basis at the tariff rate.

Any additional gas transportation necessary to fuel the remaining needs of the simple cycle units at the station will be purchased on the spot market as needed.

The Authority purchases the majority of its natural gas on a daily or short-term basis and does not currently have any purchases under long term agreements. The Authority's natural gas risk is managed using a financial hedge strategy. See "POWER SUPPLY AND POWER MARKETING -- Fuel Supply -- *Commodity Risk Management*." All of the Authority's natural gas transactions are currently executed by TEA.

Commodity Risk Management. The Authority's Board of Directors has approved a policy that deals with the philosophy, framework and delegation of authority necessary to govern the activities related to the Authority's commodity risk management program. The Authority strives to mitigate variations in price with a combination of long-term and short-term contracts, a fuel commodity risk hedging program, and by taking advantage of market opportunities, such as purchasing and blending off-specification coal when the economics are favorable. The Authority has determined that all financial risk transactions executed under the policy will be executed through TEA.

Nuclear. Under the Joint Ownership Agreement for Summer Nuclear Unit 1, SCE&G acts for itself and as agent for the Authority in the operation of Summer Nuclear Unit 1 including the acquisition and management of nuclear fuel. Contracts are in place to supply uranium and conversion through 2020. Enrichment services will be met by contract through 2024.

The Energy Authority

The Authority is a member of TEA along with City Utilities of Springfield (Missouri), Gainesville Regional Utilities (Florida), Jacksonville Energy Authority ("JEA"), Municipal Electric Authority of Georgia ("MEAG Power"), Nebraska Public Power District, Public Utility District No. 1 of Cowlitz County, Washington and American Municipal Power.

TEA markets wholesale power and coordinates the operation of the generation assets of its members to maximize the efficient use of electrical energy resources, reduce operating costs and increase operating revenues of its members. TEA is expected to accomplish the foregoing without impacting the safety and reliability of the electric system of each member. In addition, TEA purchases and sells natural gas relating to fuel for members' generation of electricity. TEA does not engage in the construction or ownership of generation or transmission assets.

The standards of conduct provisions of Order 717 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (the "FERC") require that employees of a utility engaged in transmission system operations function independently of employees of the utility or any of its affiliates who are engaged in the wholesale merchant function. The Authority believes that the establishment of TEA assists in satisfying that requirement.

All of TEA's revenues and its costs are allocated to its members. The Authority's exposure relating to TEA is limited to the Authority's capital investments in TEA, any accounts receivable from TEA and trade guarantees provided to TEA by the Authority.

The current amount approved by the Authority to support TEA's trading and procurement activities is an amount not to exceed approximately \$93.3 million. If payment is required to be made, it will be treated as an operation and maintenance expense.

Colectric Partners

The Authority is also a member of Colectric Partners ("Colectric"). Colectric's member participants are: the Authority, Florida Municipal Power Agency, Gainesville Regional Utilities, JEA, MEAG Power and Orlando Utilities Commission.

Colectric is a membership-driven nonprofit corporation headquartered in Jacksonville, Florida which serves the public power industry in a variety of project and business management roles. They help their members leverage economies of scale to control operations and maintenance costs and streamline power generation projects.

Currently, the Authority participates in two of Colectric's initiatives. The first involves managing the major gas turbine overhauls, thereby promoting the sharing of spare parts and technical expertise. The second initiative is a strategic sourcing initiative, intended to achieve major cost savings through volume purchasing leverage. Due to the maintenance sharing initiative ceasing, the Colectric Board of Directors voted to cease operations of Colectric effective March 31, 2015.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

General

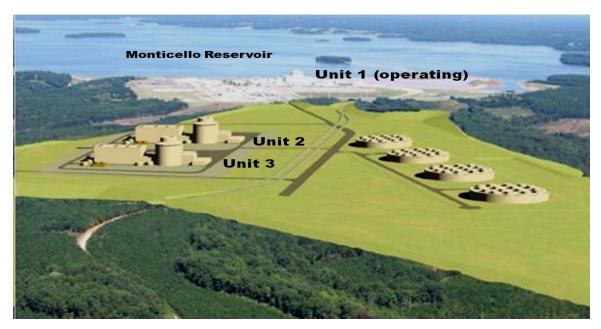
The Authority regularly reviews and updates its capital improvement program to reflect currently projected capital projects and expenditures. Total cost of the capital improvement program for 2015 through 2019 is estimated to be approximately \$3,676,000,000, which includes approximately \$2,491,000,000 for Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 based on 45% ownership, approximately \$243,000,000 for environmental compliance expenditures, and approximately \$942,000,000 for general improvements to the System. See "FINANCING PLAN FOR SUMMER NUCLEAR UNITS 2 AND 3" for further details. The Authority typically finances generation resources and large capital projects with long-term borrowed funds while utilizing the capital improvement fund for other resources such as general improvements to the System and equity to reduce taxable borrowings. The cost of the capital improvement program will be provided from Revenues of the Authority, additional Revenue Obligations, and Commercial Paper Notes and other short-term obligations of the Authority, as determined by the Authority. The Authority plans to issue approximately \$1.8 billion of debt in 2015 through 2018 for projected capital projects and expenditures, which is partially being financed with the new money portion of this issuance.

Long-Term Power Supply Plan

The Authority's overall power supply objective is to continue to satisfy the electric power and energy needs of its customers with economical and reliable service. As part of this objective the Authority strives to have in place a diverse power supply that utilizes a variety of fuel sources. The Authority reviews, from time to time, its power resources and requirements and considers the need for the possible addition of new power resources, the retirement of existing resources and other modifications to its resource plan. In January 2008, the Authority's Board of Directors approved a generation resource plan that included, among other things, a 45% ownership interest in Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3. At a 45% ownership, these units are projected to increase the percentage of power generated from nuclear resources from approximately 10% to approximately 40% after both units are completed. Nuclear power stations have higher capital costs, but they have very low fuel costs, which have already proven to be stable and competitive, to balance out the capital expense. Nuclear power is an emissions free, non-greenhouse gas emitting resource and, therefore is not subject to regulation and legislation typically associated with fossil fired resources such as those targeting carbon and SO₂ emissions.

The Authority has evaluated its capital improvement program and long-term power supply plan in light of the softer economy, the reduction in previously anticipated sales to Central, as described under "CUSTOMER BASE - Wholesale," and new EPA regulations which increase the operating costs of coal-fired generating units as described under "REGULATORY MATTERS -- Environmental Matters." As a result, the Authority is in the process of retiring two electric generating units (See "POWER SUPPLY AND POWER MARKETING-- Existing Power Resources") and has entered into an agreement whereby SCE&G will purchase from the Authority an additional 5% ownership interest in Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3. Under the terms of the agreement, SCE&G will own 60% of the new nuclear units and the Authority, 40%. See "CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM -- Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3."

Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3

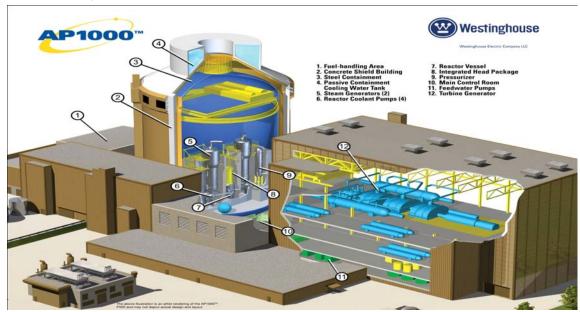


Technology. Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 will consist of two Westinghouse AP1000 nuclear reactors, four low profile sixteen-cell mechanical draft cooling towers, intake and discharge structures, a 230 kV switchyard for transmission access, and numerous ancillary structures supporting the power generation process.

On January 27, 2006, the NRC approved the AP1000 standard plant design and issued its original AP1000 Design Certification Rule ("DCR") which incorporated Revision 15 of the AP1000 Design Control Document ("DCD").

On December 30, 2011, the NRC amended its regulations to certify an amendment to the AP1000 standard plant design incorporated in DCD Revisions 16 through 19. The amendment replaces the combined license information items and design acceptance criteria ("DAC") with specific design information, addresses the effects of the impact of a large commercial aircraft, incorporates design improvements, and increases standardization of the design.

The AP1000 is the first and only reactor in its class of technological development, referred to as "Generation III+", to receive certification from the NRC.



The AP1000 is a pressurized water reactor with passive safety systems which, according to Westinghouse, in case of design basis accidents are designed to achieve a safe shutdown without operator action, AC power, or pumps.

Licensing. In March 2008, the Authority and SCE&G submitted to the NRC an application for Combined Construction and Operating Licenses ("COLs") for Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3. On March 30, 2012, the NRC concluded its mandatory hearing process for the application and found the NRC staff's review adequate to make the necessary regulatory safety and environmental findings, clearing the way for the formal issuance of the COLs. The COLs were issued by the NRC and received by SCE&G and the Authority on March 30, 2012.

The NRC's findings concluding the mandatory hearing process imposed two conditions on the COLs, with the first requiring inspection and testing of squib valves, important components of the reactor's passive cooling system. The second requires the development of strategies to respond to extreme natural events resulting in the loss of power at the new reactors. The NRC also directed the Office of New Reactors to issue to SCE&G and the Authority, simultaneously with the COLs, an Order requiring enhanced, reliable spent fuel pool instrumentation, as well as a request for information related to emergency plant staffing.

Engineering, Procurement, and Construction Agreement. On May 23, 2008, SCE&G, acting for itself and as agent for the Authority, entered into an Engineering, Procurement, and Construction ("EPC") Agreement, with a Consortium consisting of Westinghouse Electric Company, LLC and Stone & Webster, Inc. Pursuant to the EPC Agreement, the Consortium will supply, construct, test, and start up two 1,117 MW nuclear generating units utilizing Westinghouse's AP1000 standard plant design. Under the EPC Agreement, the Authority will pay, in proportion to its ownership interest, a contract price that is subject to certain fixed price escalations and adjustments, adjustments for change orders and performance bonuses, and adjustments for cost overruns. A majority of the EPC Agreement costs are fixed or firm. In addition to EPC Agreement costs, the Authority will pay, in proportion to its ownership interest, costs associated with ancillary project facilities, staffing, project management and oversight by SCE&G and the Authority. The Authority estimates the current total construction cost associated with a 45% ownership interest to be approximately \$5.1 billion including related transmission and initial nuclear fuel cores.

The EPC Agreement provides the Authority and SCE&G are jointly and severally liable for obligations under the EPC Agreement, to the extent such joint and several liability does not conflict with State law applicable to the Authority. Current State law provides the Authority shall be severally liable, in proportion to its joint ownership interest, for the acts, omissions, obligations performed, omitted, or incurred by SCE&G acting as agent for the Authority in constructing, operating or maintaining the Summer Units, but is not otherwise liable, jointly or severally for SCE&G's acts or omissions.

The EPC Agreement provides for certain liquidated damages upon the Consortium's failure to comply with schedule and performance guarantees, as well as certain bonuses payable to the Consortium for unit performance. The Consortium's liability for liquidated damages and for warranty claims is subject to a cap. The payment obligations of Westinghouse are guaranteed by Toshiba Corporation, and the payment obligations of Stone & Webster are guaranteed by Chicago Bridge & Iron Company. The Authority and SCE&G may, at any time, terminate the EPC Agreement for their convenience and without cause, provided that the Authority and SCE&G will pay certain termination costs and, at certain stages of the work, termination fees to the Consortium. The Consortium may terminate the EPC Agreement under certain circumstances, including (i) either SCE&G or the Authority's failure to make payment to Consortium in accordance with the EPC Agreement requirements, (ii) either SCE&G or the Authority's breach of a material provision of the EPC Agreement, or (iii) either SCE&G or the Authority's insolvency unless the other of SCE&G or the Authority has provided security for payments that would be due from such insolvent entity.

Ownership Agreements. On October 20, 2011, the Authority and SCE&G entered into a Design and Construction Agreement specifying an Authority ownership interest of 45% in each of Summer Nuclear Unit 2 and Summer Nuclear Unit 3. Among other things, the Design and Construction Agreement allows either or both parties to withdraw from the project under certain circumstances. Also on October 20, 2011, the Authority and SCE&G entered into an Operating and Decommissioning Agreement with respect to the two units. Both the Design and Construction Agreement and the Operating and Decommissioning Agreement define the

conditions under which the Authority or SCE&G may convey an undivided ownership interest in the units to a third party.

Recent Developments. In January 2014, the Authority entered into an agreement whereby SCE&G will purchase from the Authority an additional 5% interest in the project. Under the terms of the agreement, SCE&G will own 60% of the new nuclear units and the Authority, 40%. The 5% ownership interest will be acquired in three stages, with 1% to be acquired at the commercial operation date of the first new nuclear unit, an additional 2% to be acquired no later than the first anniversary of such commercial operation date and the final 2% to be acquired no later than the second anniversary of such commercial operation date. The purchase price will be equal to the Authority's actual cost, including financing costs, of the percentage conveyed as of the date of the conveyance. The total purchase price is estimated to be between \$500 and \$600 million. The agreement will not impact the payment obligation for the full 45% ownership during construction. Under the terms of agreement with SCE&G the Authority cannot enter into an agreement to sell an additional portion of its 40% ownership interest until both units have been completed. However, the Authority is free to explore power sale opportunities from the facility.

Construction - Phase I. Phase I of the work consisted of the Consortium's engineering support and other services required by SCE&G and the Authority to support licensing efforts for Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 (including receipt of approvals from the PSC), continuation for design work, project management, engineering and administrative support to procure long lead time equipment, construction mobilization, site preparation, site infrastructure development, and installation of construction facilities. Phase I commenced May 23, 2008, with execution of the EPC Agreement, and was completed April 17, 2012 with SCE&G and the Authority's issuance of Full Notice to Proceed following receipt of the COLs.

Construction - Phase II. Phase II of the work consists of the remainder of the work required to supply, construct, test, and start up two AP1000 nuclear power plant units as is consistent with the AP1000 certified design. Phase II work is progressing and several key construction milestones have been achieved for Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3.

Units 2 & 3 - Energized Switchyard	February 1, 2013
Unit 2 - Placed Nuclear Island Basemat (First Nuclear Concrete)	March 11, 2013
Unit 2 - Set Module CR10 (Containment Vessel Bottom Head Suppo	rt) April 3, 2013
Unit 2 - Set Containment Vessel Bottom Head	May 22, 2013
Unit 2 - Set Structural Module CA04 (Reactor Vessel Cavity)	September 27, 2013
Unit 3 - Placed Nuclear Island Basemat (First Nuclear Concrete)	November 4, 2013
Unit 2 - Set Structural Module CA20 (Auxiliary Building Module)	May 9, 2014
Unit 3 - Set Containment Vessel Bottom Head	May 21, 2014
Unit 2 - Set Containment Vessel Ring 1	June 2, 2014
Unit 2 - Set Structural Module CA05	December 6, 2014

Schedule. During the course of activities under the EPC Agreement, issues have materialized that have impacted project budget and schedule. The parties to the EPC Agreement have established both informal and formal dispute resolution procedures to resolve issues that arise during the course of constructing a project of this magnitude.

Claims specifically relating to COL delays, design modifications of the shield building and certain prefabricated structural modules and unanticipated rock conditions at the site resulted in assertions of contractual entitlement to recover additional costs to be incurred. On July 11, 2012, SCE&G, on behalf of itself and as agent for the Authority, agreed to a settlement with the Consortium which set the Authority's portion of the costs for these specific claims at approximately \$113 million (in 2007 dollars). As a result of this settlement, the substantial completion dates for Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 changed from April 2016 and January 2019 (respectively) to March 2017 and May 2018.

Subsequent to July 2012, the Consortium has experienced delays in the schedule for fabrication and delivery of sub-modules for the new units. After examination of this issue and consultation with the Consortium, in June 2013, SCE&G announced that the substantial completion of Summer Nuclear Unit 2 was expected to be delayed from March 2017 to late 2017 or the first quarter of 2018 and the substantial completion

for Summer Nuclear Unit 3 was expected to be similarly delayed. The dates have not been accepted as revised contractual substantial completion dates.

Since August 2013, the Consortium has experienced additional delays in sub-module fabrication and deliveries. The fabrication and delivery of sub-modules for Summer Nuclear Unit 2 are a focus area of the Consortium, including sub-modules for module CA20, which is part of the auxiliary building, and CA01, which houses components inside the containment vessel. Modules CA20 and CA01 are considered critical path items for both new units. All sub-modules for CA20 have been received on site, assembly completed, and the module placed on the nuclear island in May 2014. The delivery schedule of the sub-modules for CA01 is expected to support completion of on-site fabrication to allow it to be ready for placement on the nuclear island during the first half of 2015.

During the fourth quarter of 2013, the Consortium began a full re-baselining of the Unit 2 and Unit 3 construction schedules to incorporate project delays associated with incomplete engineering and late submodule fabrication and deliveries. The result will be a revised fully integrated project schedule.

In early August 2014, SCE&G and the Authority received preliminary schedule information in which the Consortium indicated the substantial completion of Unit 2 is expected to occur in late 2018 or the first half of 2019 and that the substantial completion of Unit 3 may be approximately 12 months later.

Since receiving the August 2014 preliminary schedule information, SCE&G and the Authority received a preliminary cost estimate associated with the schedule delays. The estimate to achieve a late 2018 substantial completion date totaled \$1.176 billion for non-firm and non-fixed scopes of work. In addition to delay-related costs, this figure included project scope modifications currently under review by the Owners. This figure was presented as a total project cost in 2007 dollars subject to escalation and does not reflect consideration of the delay liquidated damages provisions of the EPC agreement which would partly mitigate any such delay-related costs.

SCE&G and the Authority have worked with Consortium executive management to evaluate this information. Based upon this evaluation, the Consortium has indicated that the Unit 2 substantial completion date is expected to occur by June 2019 and that the substantial completion date of Unit 3 may be approximately 12 months later. SCE&G and the Authority are continuing discussions with Consortium executive management in order to identify potential mitigation strategies to accelerate the substantial completion dates of the units and are working to arrive at an acceptable revised schedule and cost estimate.

Summary of Substantial Completion Dates.

	Unit 2	Unit 3
Original EPC - May 2008	April 2016	January 2019
EPC - COL Delay - July 2012	March 2017 (+11 months)	May 2018 (-8 months)
Proposed - Module Delay - June 2013	December 2017 - March 2018 (+9 to +12 months)	March 2019 (+10 months)
Proposed - Rebaselined Schedule - August 2014*	December 2018 - June 2019 (+12 to +15 months)	June 2020 (+15 months)

^{*} Currently under review by the Owners.

Other Project Developments. In addition to the above-described project issues, the Authority is also aware of financial difficulties that have been experienced by Mangiarotti S.p.A. ("Mangiarotti"), an Italy based supplier responsible for certain significant components of the project. Since first becoming aware of these financial difficulties, the Consortium has monitored the potential for disruptions in such equipment fabrication and possible responses. In September 2014, Westinghouse Electric Company completed the acquisition of Mangiarotti, in order to secure this supplier. To date, nine components have been received on site from Mangiarotti. The remaining three components are in fabrication and expected to be received on-site by August 2015.

Nuclear Construction - Risk Factors. The construction of large generating plants such as Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 involves significant financial risk. Delays or cost overruns may be incurred as a result of risks such as (a) inconsistent quality of equipment, materials and labor, (b) work stoppages, (c) regulatory matters, (d) unforeseen engineering problems, (e) unanticipated increases in the cost of materials and labor, (f) performance by engineering, procurement, or construction contractors, and (g) increases in the cost of debt. Moreover, no nuclear plants have been constructed in the United States using advanced designs such as the Westinghouse AP1000 reactor. Therefore, estimating the cost of construction of any new nuclear plant is inherently uncertain.

To mitigate risk, SCE&G, acting for itself and as agent for the Authority, provides project oversight for Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 through its New Nuclear Deployment ("NND") business unit. The Authority provides dedicated on-site personnel to monitor and assist NND with the daily oversight of the project. The managerial framework of the NND group is comprised of in-house nuclear industry veterans who lead various internal departments with expertise in: nuclear operations, engineering, construction, maintenance, quality assurance and nuclear regulations. This expertise is dispatched locally to monitor on site construction as well as domestically (and abroad) to provide surveillance at all major equipment manufacturers. In addition, NND representatives make frequent visits and work closely with the Consortium to monitor progress and issues (engineering, labor, supplier issues, etc.) associated with the AP1000 nuclear power units currently under construction in China, as well as the AP1000 units currently under development at nearby Plant Vogtle in Waynesboro, Georgia.

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HISTORICAL SALES

Historical Demand, Sales and Revenues

The following table sets forth the territorial peak demand including firm off-system sales to other utilities, if any, on the Authority's System as well as the million kWh ("GWh") sales and electric revenues of the Authority for the years 2005 through 2014.

	Peak	Peak Demand(1)		Sales	Revenue From Sales		
		Annual		Annual	Amount	Annual	Cents
		Increase		Increase	(Dollars in	Increase	Per
	MW	(Decrease)	<u>GWh</u>	(Decrease)	Thousands)	(Decrease)	<u>kWh</u>
2005	5,393	5.5	25,064	2.5	1,334,057	17.5	5.33
2006	5,218	(3.2)	25,422	1.4	1,396,252	4.6	5.49
2007	5,584	7.0	27,221	7.1	1,448,327	3.7	5.32
2008	5,672	1.6	26,687	(2.0)	1,568,618	8.3	5.88
2009	5,612	(1.1)	25,813	(3.3)	1,683,469	7.3	6.52
2010	5,762	2.7	28,182	9.2	1,875,263	11.4	6.65
2011	5,697	(1.1)	27,552	(2.2)	1,894,847	1.0	6.88
2012	5,407	(5.1)	26,756	(2.9)	1,868,808	(1.4)	6.98
2013	5,053	(6.6)	26,364	(1.5)	1,796,672	(3.9)	6.81
2014	5,696	12.7	27,353	3.8	1,975,851	10.0	7.22
Annual Compound Growth Rate (2005-2014)		0.6		1.0		8.5	
(1) Includes firm off-system sale	es to other			1.0		0.5	

The following tables set forth sales and revenues by customer class for the years 2010 through 2014.

Sales (GWh) Year

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_	2	010	201	11	2012	2	201	13	201	4
Class of Customers		% of Total		% of <u>Total</u>		% of Total		% of <u>Total</u>		% of <u>Total</u>
Wholesale	17,231	61.1	16,263	59.0	15,604	58.3	15,246	57.8	16,151	59.1
Large Industrial	6,953	24.7	7,443	27.0	7,509	28.1	7,421	28.1	7,343	26.8
Residential, Commercial, Small										
Industrial and Other .	3,998	14.2	3,845	14.0	3,643	13.6	3,697	14.1	3,859	14.1
Total	28,182	100.0	27,551	100.0	26,756	100.0	26,364	100.0	27,353	100.0

Revenues (Dollars in Thousands)

					Year	•				
	20	10	201	1	2012		2013	3	2014	1
Class of		% of		% of		% of		% of		% of
Customers		Total		Total		Total		Total		Total
Wholesale	\$ 1,142,582	60.9	\$1,129,445	59.6	\$1,144,223	61.2	\$1,058,943	58.9	\$1,181,350	59.8
Large Industrial	376,247	20.1	415,309	21.9	389,742	20.9	381,689	21.2	399,817	20.2
Residential,										
Commercial, Small										
Industrial and Other .	356,435	19.0	350,093	18.5	334,843	17.9	356,040	19.9	394,683	20.0
Total	\$1,875,264	100.0	\$1,894,847	100.0	\$1,868,808	100.0	\$1,796,672	100.0	\$1,975,850	100.0

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Historical Operating Results

A summary of the Authority's revenues available for debt service, lease payments and other purposes for years 2010 through 2014 is set forth below:

	Calendar Year (Dollars in Thousands)						
	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010		
Operating Revenues	\$ 1,997,347	\$1,816,576	\$1,887,797	\$1,914,689	\$1,894,902		
Other Income (1)	28,084	9,246	9,025	8,081	126		
Total	2,025,431	1,825,822	\$1,896,822	\$1,922,770	\$1,895,028		
Operating Expenses (2)	1,445,481	1,327,370	1,379,158	1,366,423	1,318,814		
Revenues Available for Debt Service, Lease							
Payments and Other Purposes	579,950	498,452	517,664	556,347	576,214		
Debt Service on Revenue							
Obligations (3)	377,840	325,402	356,852	342,621	362,506		
Balance Available for Lease Payments and							
Other Purposes	202,110	173,050	160,812	213,726	213,708		
Debt Service on Lease Payments (4)	0	939	1,346	1,559	1,936		
Balance Available for Other Purposes	\$ 202,110	\$ 172,111	<u>\$ 159,466</u>	<u>\$ 212,167</u>	<u>\$ 211,772</u>		
Debt Service Coverage (5):							
Revenue Obligations and Lease Payments	1.53	1.52	1.44	1.61	1.58		

⁽¹⁾ Includes interest subsidy payments for the 2010 Build America Bonds ("BABs"). Years 2010 through 2012 exclude gains on sale of leased lots or rail cars.

⁽²⁾ Years 2013-2014 exclude depreciation only. Years 2010 through 2012 exclude depreciation and sums in lieu of taxes paid by Special Reserve Fund.

⁽³⁾ The Revenue Obligation Resolution provides for debt service of Revenue Obligations to be paid from Revenues prior to payments for operating and maintenance expenses. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2015M1 BONDS - Rate Covenant."

⁽⁴⁾ This category of debt is no longer outstanding.

⁽⁵⁾ Calculation of coverage does not include debt service on Commercial Paper Notes and Other.

REGULATORY MATTERS

The Electric Utility Industry Generally

The electric utility industry in general has been affected by regulatory changes, market developments and other factors which have impacted, and will probably continue to impact, the financial condition and competitiveness of electric utilities and the level of utilization of facilities, such as those of the Authority. Such factors include, among others, (a) effects of compliance with rapidly changing environmental, safety, licensing, regulatory and legislative requirements, (b) changes resulting from conservation and demand-side management programs on the timing and use of electric energy, (c) changes that might result from national energy policies, (d) effects of competition from other electric utilities (including increased competition resulting from mergers, acquisitions, and strategic alliances of competing electric (and gas) utilities and from competitors transmitting less expensive electricity from much greater distances over an interconnected system) and new methods of producing low cost electricity, (e) increased competition from independent power producers, marketers and brokers, (f) self-generation by certain industrial, commercial and residential customers, (g) issues relating to the ability to issue tax-exempt obligations, (h) restrictions on the ability to sell to nongovernmental entities electricity from projects financed with outstanding tax-exempt obligations, (i) changes from projected future load requirements, (j) increases in costs, and (k) shifts in the availability and relative costs of different fuels. Any of these factors (as well as other factors) could have an effect on the financial condition of any given electric utility, including the Authority, and likely will affect individual utilities in different ways.

The Authority cannot determine with certainty what effects such factors will have on its business operations and financial condition, but the effects could be significant. Extensive information on the electric utility industry is available from sources in the public domain, and potential purchasers of the 2015M1 Bonds should obtain and review such information.

Environmental Matters

Both the EPA and the DHEC have imposed various environmental regulations and permitting requirements affecting the Authority's facilities. These regulations and requirements relate primarily to airborne pollution, the discharge of pollutants into waters and the disposal of solid and hazardous wastes. The Authority endeavors to ensure its facilities comply with applicable environmental regulations and standards; however, no assurance can be given that normal operations will not encounter occasional technical difficulties or that necessary permits and authorizations will be received. Federal and state standards and procedures that govern control of the environment and systems operations can change. These changes may arise from legislation, regulatory action, and judicial interpretations regarding the standards, procedures and requirements for compliance and issuance of permits. Therefore there is no assurance that units in operation, under construction, or contemplated will remain subject to the regulations that are currently in effect. Furthermore, changes in the clean air laws and environmental standards may result in increased capital and operating costs.

Air Quality

General Regulatory Requirements. The Authority is subject to a number of federal and state laws and regulations which address air quality. Pursuant to the Clean Air Act ("CAA"), as amended, the EPA promulgated primary and secondary national ambient air quality standards ("NAAQS") with respect to certain air pollutants, including particulate matter, SO_2 and nitrogen oxide ("NO_x"). These standards are to be achieved by the application of control strategies developed by the states and included in implementation plans which must be approved by the EPA to become effective. DHEC has adopted a State Implementation Plan ("SIP"), which has been approved by the EPA, generally designed to achieve the primary and secondary air quality standards. The EPA also promulgated the New Source Performance Standards ("NSPS") regulations establishing stringent emission standards for particulate matter, SO_2 and NO_x emissions for fossil-fuel fired steam generators, and revised these standards in 1979 and 2005. Congress has enacted comprehensive amendments to the 1990 CAA, including the addition of a new federal Acid Rain program to deal with acid precipitation.

Clean Air Interstate Rule and Cross State Air Pollution Rule. The federal Clean Air Interstate Rule (the "CAIR"), which addresses $\mathrm{NO_x}$ and $\mathrm{SO_2}$ emissions, took effect July 11, 2005. The EPA issued a final replacement to the CAIR rule, the Cross-State Air Pollution Rule ("CSAPR"), on July 6, 2011, which was scheduled to take effect January 1, 2012. On December 30, 2011 the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit issued its ruling to stay the CSAPR pending judicial review. On August 21, 2012, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit issued its ruling vacating CSAPR. The EPA appealed the Court's ruling but the appeal was denied by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit. The EPA appealed the U.S. Court of Appeals decision to the U.S. Supreme Court. On April 29, 2014, the U.S. Supreme Court reversed the Court of Appeals and remanded the case to the D.C. Circuit for further action. In June 2014, the EPA filed a motion with the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit to lift the stay of the CSAPR, and on October 23, 2014, the court agreed to lift the stay. Emission budgets will apply on January 1, 2015 for the annual programs, and on May 1, 2015 for the ozone-season NOx program. This rule is not expected to negatively impact the Authority.

Mercury and Air Toxics Standard. Over the last several years EPA has been evaluating appropriate Maximum Achievable Control Technology ("MACT") standards for source categories and proposing various regulatory programs for mercury control for power plants. On April 16, 2012, the final rule, renamed the Mercury and Air Toxics Standard ("MATS"), became effective with a compliance deadline of April 16, 2015. Although somewhat less stringent than the earlier proposed MACT rule, MATS will have significant impacts on the Authority's coal-fired units. The Authority has evaluated the impact of this rule to its existing coal-fired fleet; and it was factored into the decision to retire six electric generating units. MATS will require use of additional control technology on the remaining eight coal-fired units at Cross and Winyah Generating Stations. The Authority has received an extension of the compliance deadline until April 16, 2016. The Authority has estimated the capital costs for compliance not to exceed \$55 million. See "POWER SUPPLY AND POWER MARKETING - Existing Power Resources - Unit Retirements."

Greenhouse Gases. On September 22, 2009, the EPA announced a final rule on the new GHG reporting program. This rule is commonly referred to as the Greenhouse Gas Mandatory Reporting Rule ("GHG-MRR"). Beginning January 1, 2010, the Authority was required to annually report GHG emissions data to the EPA for any of its facilities that emit 25,000 metric tons or more of CO_2 or equivalent per year. This reporting requirement applies to the Authority's larger generating facilities, and electrical transmission and distribution equipment. The Authority has filed annual reports in compliance with this requirement.

The EPA and Congress continue to consider strong measures that will reduce GHG emissions from major sources, including electric utilities, as well as implementation of other complementary measures to reduce GHG emissions. The EPA in 2009 found that by causing or contributing to climate change, GHGs endanger both the public health and the public welfare of current and future generations. Based on this finding, in March, 2012, the EPA first proposed new source performance standards for emissions of carbon dioxide ("CO₂") for new affected fossil fuel-fired electric utility generating units ("EGUs"). The EPA proposed these requirements because CO_2 is a greenhouse gas ("GHG") and fossil fuel-fired power plants are the country's largest anthropogenic stationary source emitters of GHGs. The proposed requirements were strictly limited to new sources, and require new fossil fuel-fired EGUs constructed for the purpose of supplying more than 25MW net electric output to the grid to meet an output-based standard of 1,000 pounds of CO_2 per megawatt-hour, based on the performance of widely used natural gas combined cycle-technology. This limit essentially precludes the construction of new coal fired generation without CO_2 controls, such as carbon capture and sequestration.

This proposal was withdrawn in September 2013 and re-proposed on January 8, 2014. There were several changes from the 2012 proposal, but essentially, the controls EPA

proposed for new units, particularly carbon capture and sequestration, could limit construction of new coal-fired power plants. The Authority submitted comments to the EPA as it relates to potential new generation for the Authority's fleet.

On June 18, 2014, EPA published proposed rules on existing and modified fossil-fired generating units, titled the "Clean Power Plan." Included in the rule are state-by-state reduction targets. EPA is proposing that South Carolina develop a plan to lower its 2012 carbon emission rate 51% by 2030. Public comments for modified or reconstructed units were due October 16, 2014, and for existing units, by December 1, 2014. The Authority submitted extensive comments to the rules. The potential cost impact of GHG regulation or legislation could be significant and the Authority will continue to monitor regulatory and legislative developments. EPA recently announced that it expects to issue final rules regarding all three proposed regulations in mid-summer 2015.

Ozone - National Ambient Air Quality Standards for Ozone, Proposed Rule. On November 26, 2014, the EPA completed the federally mandated 5-year review of the national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS) for ozone and proposed a revised (more stringent) ground-level ozone standard range. This applies to both the primary (public health) and secondary (public welfare) standards. The 90-day public comment period began December 17, 2014. By Court Order, the binding Final Rule is due to be promulgated on or before October 1, 2015. According to DHEC information, several counties will be at risk of nonattainment within the upper boundary of the proposed range. All counties in South Carolina will be at risk of nonattainment within the lower boundary of the proposed range. The Authority has submitted comments on the proposed rule.

Water Quality

General Regulatory Requirements. The Authority is subject to a number of federal and state laws and regulations which address water quality. The Clean Water Act ("CWA") prohibits the discharge of pollutants, including heat, from point sources into waters of the United States, except as authorized in the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("NPDES") permit program. The DHEC has been delegated NPDES permitting authority by the EPA and administers the program for the State. Industrial wastewater discharges from all stations and the regional water plants are governed by NPDES permits. The DHEC also has permitting authority for stormwater discharges and the Authority manages stormwater pursuant to the DHEC issued Industrial General Permits and Construction General Permits.

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316(b) Fish Protection Regulations. Section 316(b) of the CWA requires that NPDES permits for facilities with cooling water intake structures ensure that the structures reflect the best technology available to minimize adverse environmental impacts from impingement and entrainment of fish and egg larvae. The EPA published the final 316(b) rule on August 15, 2014, and the rule became effective October 15, 2014. The Authority has reviewed the rule to determine the potential impact to the Authority's applicable generating facilities, which are Jefferies (Units 1 & 2), Cross, Winyah, and Rainey Generating Stations. The Authority has estimated and budgeted cost of compliance of approximately \$7.8 million through 2024 based on the rule.

Effluent Limitation Guidelines. On April 19, 2013, the EPA released a proposed rulemaking pursuant to section 304(b) of the CWA establishing effluent limitation guidelines ("ELGs") for all steam electric generating units. Under the proposed approach, new requirements for existing power plants would be phased in between 2017 and 2022. EPA also announced its intention to align this rule with a related rule for coal combustion residuals (CCRs). On April 9, 2014, the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia extended the final action deadline for the rule until September 30, 2015. Implementation of the rule will require generating units to comply with specific effluent limitations, based upon the availability and cost of applicable pollution control technology. The guidelines propose stricter

performance standards that will require upgrades and installation of additional wastewater treatment systems for certain facilities including Winyah and Cross Generating Stations. EPA sets the ELG limits based on their evaluation of the "best available" treatment technologies that the EPA believes are economically achievable. The Authority is evaluating the proposed rule and has provided comments. Compliance options and their costs vary widely so the Authority cannot estimate the potential cost of compliance.

Waters of the U.S. ("WOUS"). On April 21, 2014, the EPA and Corps published for public comment a proposed rule defining the scope of waters protected under the CWA. The proposed rule seeks to clarify which streams, wetlands and other waters are considered WOUS and, thus subject to permitting requirements under the CWA. The joint proposed rule will affect project development and operations across the energy, water, construction, building, agricultural and transportation sectors. The Authority submitted comments to the rule. The Authority cannot fully estimate the potential cost of compliance with the proposed rule.

Solid and Hazardous Waste and Hazardous Substances

General Regulatory Requirements. The Authority is subject to a number of federal and state laws and regulations which address hazardous substances and wastes. These include the CWA, which imposes substantial penalties for spills of oil or Federal EPA-listed hazardous substances into water and for failure to report such spills; the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 ("CERCLA") which provides for the reporting requirements to cover the release of hazardous substances generally into the environment, including water, land and air, and imposes liability upon any generators, transporters or arrangers of disposal of hazardous substances, and the CERCLA and Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act ("SARA"), which require compliance with programs for emergency planning and public information. Additionally, the EPA regulations under the Toxic Substances Control Act impose stringent requirements for labeling, handling, storing and disposing of polychlorinated biphenyls ("PCB") and associated equipment. There are regulations covering PCB notification and manifesting, restrictions on disposal of drained electrical equipment, spill cleanup record-keeping requirements, etc. The Authority has a comprehensive PCB management program in response to these regulations.

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Solid Waste – Coal Combustion Residual Rule. The Authority generates solid waste associated with the combustion of coal, the vast majority of which is fly ash, bottom ash, scrubber sludge and gypsum. These wastes, known as Coal Combustion Residuals ("CCRs"), have been exempt from hazardous waste regulation under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA"). On December 19, 2014, the EPA issued a rule to regulate CCRs under the solid waste provisions, Subtitle D of RCRA, as a nonhazardous waste. The final rule was published in the Federal Register on April 17, 2015. The rule regulates the CCRs as a RCRA Subtitle D, nonhazardous waste. The rule establishes criteria for existing and new CCR landfills and surface impoundments, including:

- Location restrictions
- Design and construction requirements;
- Operating criteria such as inspections, structural integrity evaluations, and fugitive dust controls:
- Groundwater monitoring and corrective action;
- Closure requirements and post-closure care;
- Record keeping, notifications, and internet posting requirements.

No firm estimates relative to the cost of implementing this regulation, have been made at this time since the rule is still under review. However, the Authority has budgeted \$320 million through 2019 for compliance purposes.

Beneficial Use of Coal Combustion Products. Coal combustion products ("CCP"), which include fly ash, bottom ash, and flue gas desulfurization products such as gypsum, are

produced when coal is burned to generate electricity. The Authority has entered into contracts for the beneficial use of CCPs and continually looks for new markets. The Authority provides synthetic gypsum to American Gypsum for their wallboard production requirements. Additionally, ponded ash is reclaimed from the Authority's ash ponds, dry fly ash is recovered directly from the operating units, and bottom ash is sold to cement companies for additional beneficial uses.

Industrial Solid Waste Landfills. At Cross Generating Station, dry disposal of CCRs into an industrial Class 2 solid waste landfill is governed by a Consent Agreement executed on April 29, 2011 between the Authority and DHEC, which provides for operation of the landfill until December 31, 2015. The Authority has received all necessary permits to construct a Class 3 solid waste landfill at Cross Generating Station and construction is underway. The Authority expects to complete construction and place the landfill into operation prior to December 31, 2015. The Authority will dispose of CCRs into the Class 3 solid waste landfill after that date.

Drinking Water

The Authority continues to monitor for Safe Drinking Water Act regulatory issues impacting drinking water systems at the Authority's Regional Water Systems, generating stations, substations and other auxiliary facilities. DHEC has regulatory authority of potable water systems in the State. The State Primary Drinking Water Regulation, R.61-58, governs the design, construction and operational management of all potable water systems in the State subject to and consistent with the requirements of the Safe Drinking Water Act and the implementation of federal drinking water regulations.

Plant and Pond Closures

The Authority is in the process of retiring units and ancillary facilities at Grainger and Jefferies generating stations. The Authority plans to properly close ash ponds at these facilities by excavation and beneficial use. A closure plan for the Grainger Generating Station ash ponds has been approved by DHEC and closure through beneficial use is in progress. Development of a similar closure plan for Jefferies ash ponds is in progress.

In addition, the Authority is planning to close the Grainger cooling pond in accordance with DHEC requirements.

FERC Hydro Licensing

The Authority operates its Jefferies Hydro Station and certain other property, including the Pinopolis Dam on the Cooper River and the Santee Dam on the Santee River, which are major parts of the Authority's integrated hydroelectric complex, under a license issued by the FERC pursuant to the Federal Power Act ("FPA"). The project is currently undergoing relicensing and a Notice of Intent ("NOI") to relicense was filed with the FERC on November 13, 2000. The final license application was submitted March 12, 2004. Due to a number of Additional Information Requests, the relicensing process has extended beyond the license expiration date. The FERC has issued a standing annual license renewal until a final license is issued.

The FERC issued its Final Environmental Impact Statement ("EIS") in October 2007. The South Carolina Department of Natural Resources, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and the Authority have jointly signed and filed a settlement agreement with the FERC that among other things, identifies fish passage and outflow guidelines during the term of the next license. The National Marine Fisheries Service ("NMFS") chose not to join in the settlement agreement and has submitted mandatory fishway conditions under §18 of the FPA and flow recommendations under §10 of that Act that are inconsistent with the settlement agreement.

In November 2007, FERC requested that NMFS undertake an Endangered Species Act ("ESA") Section 7 consultation with regard to the relicensing project. In July of 2010, as a function of the required Section 7 consultation, NMFS submitted a draft biological opinion containing recommendations for the endangered shortnose sturgeon. The recommendations, if adopted, would result in substantial additional costs for operating

the project. The Authority provided a response to those recommendations in September 2010. The Authority cannot predict when NMFS will issue a final biological opinion or the final outcome of the FERC relicensing process.

NERC Regulation

The NERC establishes and enforces reliability standards, including critical infrastructure protection standards, for the bulk power system. The critical infrastructure protection standards focus on controlling access to critical physical and cyber security assets. Compliance with these standards is mandatory. The maximum penalty that may be levied for violating a NERC reliability standard is \$1 million per violation, per day. The Authority has self-reported some violations of NERC reliability or critical infrastructure protections standards and paid the necessary fines. The Authority has formal programs, processes, and policies in place to promote compliance with these standards. However, it is not possible to predict whether the Authority will have future violations or what the fines for such violations might be.

Nuclear Matters

Summer Nuclear Unit 1 is subject to regulation by the NRC. SCE&G and the Authority were required to obtain liability insurance and a United States Government indemnity agreement for Summer Nuclear Unit 1 in order for the NRC operating license to be issued. This primary insurance and the retrospective assessment are to insure against the maximum liability under the federal Price-Anderson Act for any public claims arising from a nuclear incident. The Energy Policy Act of 2005 extends the Price-Anderson Act until 2025.

The NRC requires that a licensee of a nuclear reactor provide minimum financial assurance of its ability to decommission its nuclear facilities. In compliance with the applicable NRC regulations, the Authority established an external trust to comply with the new regulations. The Authority began making deposits into the external decommissioning fund in September 1990.

In addition to providing for the minimum requirements imposed by the NRC, the Authority established in 1983 an internal decommissioning fund. Based on the most recent decommissioning cost estimates developed by SCE&G, both the internal and external funds, which had a combined market value of approximately \$207 million at December 31, 2014, along with future deposits in the external trust and internal fund and investment earnings, are estimated to provide sufficient funds for the Authority's one-third share of the total estimated decommissioning cost.

Potential Nuclear Plant Guidelines. In March 2011, a major earthquake and tsunami struck Japan and caused substantial damage to the nuclear generating units at the Fukushima Daiichi generating plant. The events in Japan have created uncertainties that may affect future costs for operating nuclear plants. Specifically, the NRC is performing additional operational and safety reviews of nuclear facilities in the U.S., which could potentially impact future operations and capital requirements. On March 12, 2012, the NRC issued three orders and a request for information based on the July 2011 NRC task force report recommendations that included, among other items, additional mitigation strategies for beyond-design-basis events, enhanced spent fuel pool instrumentation capabilities, hardened vents for certain classes of containment structures, site specific evaluations for seismic and flooding hazards, and various plant evaluations to ensure adequate coping capabilities during station blackout and other conditions. On August 29, 2012, the NRC staff issued the final interim staff guidance document, which offers acceptable approaches to meeting the requirements of the NRC's orders before the December 31, 2016 compliance deadline. The interim staff guidance is not mandatory, but licensees would be required to obtain NRC approval for taking an approach other than as outlined in the interim staff guidance. The final form and the resulting impact of any changes to safety requirements for nuclear reactors will be dependent on further review and action by the NRC and cannot be determined at this time; however, management does not currently anticipate that the associated compliance costs would have a material impact on the Authority's financial statements.

LITIGATION

Except as noted below, there are no actions, suits, or governmental proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of the Authority, threatened before any court, administrative agency, arbitrator or governmental body which would, if determined adversely to the Authority, have a material adverse effect on its financial

condition. However, even if determined adversely to the Authority, no such actions, suits, or governmental proceedings would have a material adverse effect on the Authority's ability to transact its business or meet its obligations under the Revenue Obligation Resolution.

Horry Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Horry Co-op") Suit. In May 2013, Horry Co-op, a member of Central, sued the Authority seeking indemnification for claims in a class action lawsuit brought against Horry Co-op by certain of its customers. The customers allege mold damage to their homes was caused by vapor barriers installed in accordance with the Authority's energy efficiency recommendations. Horry Co-op's complaint alleges the Authority knew the vapor barrier could cause moisture problems but failed to disclose the information to Horry Co-op and failed to advise Horry Co-op that the vapor barrier should be a recommendation rather than a requirement. A settlement has been reached in the underlying class action lawsuit against Horry Co-op. The settlement provide for the establishment of two funds, totaling \$6 million dollars, to pay the claims of the class members. The Authority has been informed that as of the deadline for filing claims, approximately \$1.4 million in claims and attorneys fees were paid. The Authority filed a motion to dismiss the claims brought against it by Horry Co-op. On June 11, 2014, the Court dismissed the suit, ruling that the majority of the claims were dismissed with prejudice and that the claim for equitable indemnification was dismissed without prejudice. Horry Co-op has appealed the dismissal of the suit. The Authority cannot predict the outcome of the appeal. On October 20, 2014 the Authority was served with an additional complaint filed by Horry Co-Op in Horry County. The complaint alleges a single cause of action for indemnity arising out of the same underlying factual allegations as the original complaint filed in May of 2013. The Authority has filed a motion to dismiss the complaint. The Authority cannot predict the outcome of this lawsuit.

FINANCIAL ADVISOR

The Authority has retained Public Financial Management, Inc., as Financial Advisor in connection with the issuance of the 2015M1 Bonds.

TAX MATTERS

The 2015M1 Bonds

Federal Income Tax Generally. On the date of issuance of the 2015M1 Bonds, Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A., Charleston, South Carolina ("Bond Counsel"), expects to render an opinion that, assuming continuing compliance by the Authority with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder (the "Regulations") and further subject to certain considerations described in "Collateral Federal Tax Considerations" below, under existing statutes, regulations and judicial decisions, interest on the 2015M1 Bonds is excludable from the gross income of the registered owners thereof for federal income tax purposes. Interest on the 2015M1 Bonds will not be treated as an item of tax preference in calculating the alternative minimum taxable income of individuals or corporations; however, interest on the 2015M1 Bonds will be included in the calculation of adjusted current earnings in determining the alternative minimum tax liability of corporations. The Code contains other provisions that could result in tax consequences, upon which no opinion will be rendered by Bond Counsel, as a result of (i) ownership of the 2015M1 Bonds or (ii) the inclusion in certain computations of interest that is excluded from gross income.

The opinion of Bond Counsel will be limited to matters relating to the authorization and validity of the 2015M1 Bonds and the tax-exempt status of interest on the 2015M1 Bonds as described herein. Bond Counsel makes no statement regarding the accuracy and completeness of this Official Statement.

The opinion of Bond Counsel is based on current legal authority, cover certain matters not directly addressed by such authorities, and represent Bond Counsel's judgment as to the proper treatment of the 2015M1 Bonds for federal income tax purposes. Bond Counsel's opinions are based upon existing law, which is subject to change. Such opinions are further based on factual representations made to Bond Counsel as of the date thereof. Bond Counsel assumes no duty to update or supplement its opinions to reflect any facts or circumstances that may thereafter come to Bond Counsel's attention or to reflect any changes in law that may thereafter occur or become effective. Moreover, Bond Counsel's opinions are not guarantees of a particular result, and are not binding on the IRS or the courts; rather, such opinions represent Bond Counsel's professional judgment based on its review of existing law, and in reliance on the representations and covenants that it deems relevant to such opinions.

The opinion of Bond Counsel described above is subject to the condition that the Authority comply with all requirements of the Code and the Regulations, including, without limitation, certain limitations on the use, expenditure and investment of the proceeds of the 2015M1 Bonds and the obligation to rebate certain earnings on investments of proceeds to the United States Government, that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the 2015M1 Bonds in order that interest thereon be, or continue to be, excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes. The Authority has covenanted to comply with each such requirement. Failure to comply with certain of such requirements may cause the inclusion of interest on the 2015M1 Bonds in gross income for federal income tax purposes retroactive to their respective dates of issuance. The opinion of Bond Counsel delivered on the date of issuance of the 2015M1 Bonds will be conditioned on compliance by the Authority with such requirements, and Bond Counsel has not been retained to monitor compliance with the requirements subsequent to the issuance of such 2015M1 Bonds.

Collateral Federal Tax Considerations. Prospective purchasers of the 2015M1 Bonds should be aware that ownership of tax-exempt obligations may result in collateral federal income tax consequences to certain taxpayers, including, without limitation, financial institutions, property and casualty insurance companies, life insurance companies, certain foreign corporations, certain S corporations, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits and taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or carry tax-exempt obligations. The 2015M1 Bonds are not "qualified tax-exempt obligations" under Section 265(b)(3) of the Code. Bond Counsel expresses no opinion concerning such collateral income tax consequences, and prospective purchasers of 2015M1 Bonds should consult their tax advisors as to the applicability thereof.

Future legislation, if enacted into law, or clarification of the Code may cause interest on the 2015M1 Bonds to be subject, directly or indirectly, to federal income taxation, or otherwise prevent owners from realizing the full current benefit of the tax status of such interest. The introduction or enactment of any such future legislation or clarification of the Code may also affect the market price for, or marketability of, the 2015M1 Bonds. No prediction can be made concerning future legislation which if passed might adversely affect the tax treatment of interest on the 2015M1 Bonds. Prospective purchasers of 2015M1 Bonds should consult their own tax advisors regarding any pending or proposed federal tax legislation, as to which Bond Counsel expresses no opinion.

The IRS has established an ongoing program to audit tax-exempt obligations to determine whether interest on such obligations is includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes. Bond Counsel cannot predict whether the IRS will commence an audit of the 2015M1 Bonds. Bond Counsel's engagement with respect to the 2015M1 Bonds ends with their respective issuance and unless separately engaged, Bond Counsel is not obligated to defend the Authority or the owners of 2015M1 Bonds regarding the tax-exempt status thereof in the event of an audit examination by the IRS. Under current procedures, parties other than the Authority and their appointed counsel, including the owners of 2015M1 Bonds would have little, if any, right to participate in the audit examination process. Moreover, because achieving judicial review in connection with an audit examination of tax-exempt bonds is difficult, obtaining an independent review of IRS positions with which the Authority legitimately disagrees, may not be practicable. Any action of the IRS, including but not limited to selection of the 2015M1 Bonds for audit, or the course or result of such audit, or an audit of bonds presenting similar tax issues may affect the market price for, or the marketability of, the 2015M1 Bonds and may cause the Authority or the owners of 2015M1 Bonds to incur significant expense, regardless of the ultimate outcome.

State Tax Exemption

Bond Counsel is of the further opinion that the 2015M1 Bonds and the interest thereon are exempt from all taxation by the State of South Carolina, its counties, municipalities and school districts except estate, transfer or certain franchise taxes. Interest paid on the 2015M1 Bonds is currently subject to the tax imposed on banks by Section 12-11-20, Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended, which is enforced by the South Carolina Department of Revenue and Taxation as a franchise tax. The opinion of Bond Counsel is limited to the laws of the State of South Carolina and federal tax laws. No opinion is rendered by Bond Counsel concerning the taxation of the 2015M1 Bonds or the interest thereon under the laws of any other jurisdiction.

APPROVAL OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A., Charleston, South Carolina, Bond Counsel to the Authority, will render an opinion with respect to the validity and tax treatment of the 2015M1 Bonds. Such opinion will be attached to the 2015M1 Bonds and will be in substantially the form set forth in Appendix III. Certain legal matters will be passed upon on behalf of the Authority by J. Michael Baxley, its Senior Vice President and General Counsel.

MISCELLANEOUS

The agreements of the Authority with the owners of the 2015M1 Bonds are fully set forth in the Revenue Obligation Resolution. This Official Statement is not to be construed as a contract with the purchasers of the 2015M1 Bonds. Any statements herein involving matters of opinion or estimates, whether or not expressly so stated, are intended merely as such and not as representations of fact. This Official Statement has been approved by the Board of Directors of the Authority.

South Carolina Public Service Authority

/s/Jeffrey D. Armfield Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Combined Statements of Net Position

South Carolina Public Service Authority As of December 31, 2014 and 2013

		2014	2	2013
		(Thou	sands)	
ASSETS				
Current assets				
Unrestricted cash and cash equivalents	\$	171,830	\$	172,738
Unrestricted investments		520,282		526,584
Restricted cash and cash equivalents		289,149		182,455
Restricted investments		836,032		762,650
Receivables, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$1,555				
and \$1,315 at December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively		187,324		189,092
Materials inventory		113,635		113,865
Fuel inventory				
Fossil fuels		333,648		446,998
Nuclear fuel-net		150,577		163,147
Interest receivable		1,786		2,664
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		233,639		248,520
Total current assets		2,837,902		2,808,713
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Noncurrent assets Rectricted each and each equivalents		352		1 525
Restricted cash and cash equivalents				1,535
Restricted investments		122,657		109,060
Capital assets				
Utility plant		7,023,729		6,910,962
Long lived assets-asset retirement cost		507,394		507,394
Accumulated depreciation		(3,332,127)		(3,150,020)
Total utility plant-net		4,198,996		4,268,336
Construction work in progress		2,712,851		2,100,631
Other physical property-net		5,939		6,084
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Investment in associated companies		8,584		6,840
Unamortized debt expenses		35,902		36,473
Costs to be recovered from future revenue		247,359		227,561
Regulatory asset-asset retirement obligation		660,181		603,663
Other noncurrent and regulatory assets		173,870		399,465
Total noncurrent assets		8,166,691		7,759,648
Total assets	\$	11,004,593	\$	10,568,361
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Accumulated decrease in fair value of hedging derivatives	\$	69,958	\$	19,367
Unamortized loss on refunded and defeased debt	*	133,680	₩	119,868
Total deferred outflows of resources	\$	203,638	\$	139,235
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Total assets & deferred outflows of resources	\$	11,208,231	\$	10,707,596

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these combined financial statements.

Combined Statements of Net Position (continued)

South Carolina Public Service Authority As of December 31, 2014 and 2013

Current liabilities Current portion of long-term debt Accrued interest on long-term debt Commercial paper	\$ (Thou 149,689 79,061	isands) \$	
Current portion of long-term debt Accrued interest on long-term debt	\$	\$	
Accrued interest on long-term debt	\$	\$	
<u> </u>	79,061		133,671
Commercial paper			100,159
Commercial paper	410,139		372,073
Accounts payable	260,727		216,163
Other current liabilities	131,766		69,978
Total current liabilities	1,031,382		892,044
Noncurrent liabilities			
Construction liabilities	6,377		3,616
Asset retirement obligation liability	1,043,629		1,024,253
Total long-term debt (net of current portion)	6,399,449		6,313,821
Unamortized debt discounts and premiums	239,713		142,558
Long-term debt-net	6,639,162		6,456,379
Other credits and noncurrent liabilities	110,717		97,182
Total noncurrent liabilities	7,799,885		7,581,430
Total liabilities	\$ 8,831,267	\$	8,473,474
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Accumulated increase in fair value of hedging derivatives	\$ 1,138	\$	8,146
Nuclear decommissioning costs	207,363		185,849
Total deferred inflows of resources	\$ 208,501	\$	193,995
NET POSITION			
Net invested in capital assets	\$ 957,835	\$	895,969
Restricted for debt service	108,457		92,662
Restricted for capital projects	6,515		0
Unrestricted	1,095,656		1,051,496
Total net position	\$ 2,168,463	\$	2,040,127
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources & net position	\$ 11,208,231	\$	10,707,596

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Combined Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position

South Carolina Public Service Authority Years Ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

	2014		2013
	(Thousan	nds)	
Operating revenues			
Sale of electricity	\$ 1,975,362	\$	1,796,230
Sale of water	7,854		7,282
Other operating revenue	14,131		13,064
Total operating revenues	1,997,347		1,816,576
Operating expenses			
Electric operating expenses			
Production	109,194		104,740
Fuel	820,720		741,255
Purchased and interchanged power	237,187		217,311
Transmission	24,885		24,555
Distribution	10,626		10,727
Customer accounts	15,616		15,656
Sales	12,378		6,016
Administrative and general	89,286		91,792
Electric maintenance expenses	116,560		106,463
Water operating expenses	2,687		2,502
Water maintenance expenses	858		890
Total operating and maintenance expenses	1,439,997		1,321,907
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Depreciation	173,743		196,812
Sums in lieu of taxes	5,484		5,463
Total operating expenses	1,619,224		1,524,182
Operating income	378,123		292,394
Nonoperating revenues (expenses)			
Interest and investment revenue	29,023		3,945
Net decrease in the fair value of investments	(2,017)		(2,320)
Interest expense on long-term debt	(268,989)		(221,067)
Interest expense on commercial paper and other	(4,840)		(4,063)
Amortization expense	(1,164)		4,352
Costs to be recovered from future revenue	19,798		7,396
U.S. Treasury subsidy on Build America Bonds	7,542		7,486
Other-net	(8,481)		(2,185
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	(229,128)		(206,456
Income before transfers	148,995		85,938
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Capital contributions & transfers			
Distribution to the State	(20,659)		(20,394)
Total capital contributions & transfers	(20,659)		(20,394)
Change in net position	128,336		65,544
Total net position-beginning	2,040,127		1,974,583
Total net position-ending	\$ 2,168,463	\$	2,040,127

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these combined financial statements.

Combined Statements of Cash Flows

South Carolina Public Service Authority Years Ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

·	2014	2013
	(Thousand	ls)
Cash flows from operating activities		
Receipts from customers	\$ 1,998,875	\$ 1,832,536
Payments to non-fuel suppliers	(124,575)	(277,732)
Payments for fuel	(813,871)	(736,022)
Purchased power	(237,263)	(217,386)
Payments to employees	(162,872)	(158,002)
Other receipts-net	374,315	301,072
Net cash provided by operating activities	1,034,609	744,466
Cash flows from non-capital related financing activities		
Distribution to the State	(20,659)	(20,394)
Proceeds from sale of bonds	54,105	316,427
Proceeds from issuance of commercial paper notes	229,105	169,450
Repayment of commercial paper notes	(105,062)	(191,476)
Refunding / defeasance of long-term debt	(469,708)	(348,481)
Repayment of long-term debt	(143)	(13)
Interest paid on long-term debt	(18,156)	(22,037)
Interest paid on commercial paper and other	(3,286)	(4,320)
Bond issuance and other related costs	(7,424)	(2,941)
Net cash used in non-capital related financing activities	(341,228)	(103,785)
Proceeds from sale of bonds Proceeds from issuance of commercial paper notes Repayment of commercial paper notes Refunding / defeasance of long-term debt Repayment of long-term debt Interest paid on long-term debt Interest paid on commercial paper and other	1,364,075 59,661 (145,638) (753,782) (95,615) (304,308) (2,331)	1,549,947 115,447 (50,631) (508,140) (167,399) (257,111) (1,663)
Construction and betterments of utility plant	(725,145)	(743,819)
Bond issuance and other related costs	75,525	(31,276)
Other-net	(8,427)	(60,487)
Net cash used in capital-related financing activities	(535,985)	(155,132)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Net (decrease) in investments	(82,694)	(610,834)
Interest on investments	29,901	2,969
Net cash used in investing activities	(52,793)	(607,865)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	104,603	(122,316)
Cash and cash equivalents-beginning	356,728	479,044
Cash and cash equivalents-ending	\$ 461,331	\$ 356,728

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these combined financial statements.

Combined Statements of Cash Flows (continued)

South Carolina Public Service Authority Years Ended December 31, 2014 and 2013

•	2014		2013		
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash provided by					
operating activities					
Operating income	\$	378,123	\$	292,394	
Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash provided by operating activities					
Depreciation		173,743		196,812	
Amortization of nuclear fuel		22,552		28,500	
Net power gains involving associated companies		(27,711)		(25,243)	
Distributions from associated companies		23,674		22,444	
Advances to associated companies		(107)		(4)	
Other income and expenses		3,807		12,895	
Changes in assets and liabilities					
Accounts receivable-net		1,768		15,942	
Inventories		113,581		28,877	
Prepaid expenses		(21,928)		23,491	
Other deferred debits		245,692		73,245	
Accounts payable		50,545		71,006	
Other current liabilities		57,779		319	
Other noncurrent liabilities		13,091		3,788	
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	1,034,609	\$	744,466	
Composition of cash and cash equivalents					
Current					
Unrestricted cash and cash equivalents	\$	171,830	\$	172,738	
Restricted cash and cash equivalents		289,149		182,455	
Noncurrent					
Restricted cash and cash equivalents		352		1,535	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	\$	461,331	\$	356,728	

NOTES

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A - Reporting Entity - The South Carolina Public Service Authority (the Authority or Santee Cooper), a component unit of the State of South Carolina (the State), was created in 1934 by the State legislature. The Santee Cooper Board of Directors (Board) is appointed by the Governor of South Carolina with the advice and consent of the Senate. The purpose of the Authority is to provide electric power and wholesale water to the people of South Carolina. Capital projects are funded by bonds, commercial paper and internally generated funds. As authorized by State law, the Board sets rates charged to customers to pay debt service and operating expenses and to provide funds required under bond covenants.

B - System of Accounts - The accounting records of the Authority are maintained on an accrual basis in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP) issued by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) applicable to governmental entities that use proprietary fund accounting and the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) that do not conflict with rules issued by the GASB.

The Authority's combined financial statements include the accounts of the Lake Moultrie and Lake Marion Regional Water Systems after elimination of inter-company accounts and transactions. The accounts are maintained substantially in accordance with the Uniform System of Accounts prescribed by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) for the electric system and the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) for the water systems.

The Authority also complies with policies and practices prescribed by its Board and practices common in both industries. As the Board is authorized to set rates, the Authority follows GASB 62. This standard provides for the reporting of assets and liabilities consistent with the economic effect of the rate structure.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions in the Authority's reporting. This practice affects the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

C – *Reclassifications* - To achieve conformity and comparability, the Authority may reclassify certain amounts in prior year financial statements where applicable.

During 2014, the Authority determined that the Net Position section of the Combined Statements of Net Position should be reclassified. As of December 31, 2013 the Net invested in capital assets category was understated by \$2.6 million and Unrestricted was overstated by \$2.6 million. The reclassification is a result of certain items being reassessed as capital related or non-capital related.

For comparative purposes, certain portions of the Combined Statement of Cash Flows have been reclassified for the year ended December 31, 2013. This is due to a reassessment of the nature of transactions in the capital related financing category that were deemed to be non-capital or operating. Accordingly, for the year ended December 31, 2013, \$69.7 million has been reclassified out of capital related financing activities to non-capital and operating.

- **D** Current and Noncurrent The Authority presents assets and liabilities in order of relative liquidity. The liquidity of an asset is determined by how readily it is expected to be converted to cash and whether restrictions limit the use of the resources. The liquidity of a liability is based on its maturity, or when cash is expected to be used to liquidate the liability.
- *E Restricted Assets -* For purposes of the Combined Statements of Net Position and Combined Statements of Cash Flows, assets are restricted when constraints are placed on their use by either:
 - (1) External creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or
 - (2) Law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Assets not meeting the requirements of restricted are classified as unrestricted.

F - *Cash and Cash Equivalents* - For purposes of the Combined Statements of Net Position and Combined Statements of Cash Flows, the Authority considers highly liquid investments with original maturities of ninety days or less and cash on deposit with financial institutions as unrestricted and restricted cash and cash equivalents.

G - **Inventory** - Material and fuel inventories are carried at weighted average costs. At the time of issuance or consumption, an expense is recorded at the weighted average cost.

H - Utility Plant - Utility plant is recorded at cost, which includes materials, labor, overhead and interest capitalized during construction. Interest is capitalized only when interest payments are funded through borrowings. The Authority capitalized \$59.3 and \$83.7 million of interest in 2014 and 2013, respectively. Other interest expense is recovered currently through rates. The costs of maintenance, repairs and minor replacements are charged to appropriate operation and maintenance expense accounts. The costs of renewals and betterments are capitalized. The original cost of utility plant retired and the cost of removal, less salvage, are charged to accumulated depreciation.

I - Depreciation - Depreciation is computed using composite rates on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the various classes of the plant. Composite rates are applied to the gross plant balance of various classes of assets which includes appropriate adjustments for cost of removal and salvage. The Authority periodically has depreciation studies performed by independent parties to assist management in establishing appropriate composite depreciation rates. For assets not grouped in a plant class, straight-line depreciation is used over the estimated useful life of the asset.

Annual depreciation provisions, expressed as a percentage of average depreciable utility plant in service, were as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014	2013
Annual average depreciation percentages	2.6%	2.9%

Note: Depreciation expense includes amortization of property under capitalized leases.

J - Retirement of Long Lived Assets - The Authority follows the guidance of FASB ASC 410 in regards to the decommissioning of V.C. Summer Nuclear Station (Summer Nuclear) and closing coal-fired generation ash ponds. The requirements for both were recorded within capital assets on the accompanying Combined Statements of Net Position.

The asset retirement obligation (ARO) is adjusted each period for any liabilities incurred or settled during the period, accretion expense and any revisions made to the estimated cash flows. The following table summarizes the Authority's transactions:

Years Ended December 31,				2014			2013							
	N	uclear	A	sh Ponds	Total		Nuclear	Ash Ponds			ır Ash Ponds			Total
					(Mil	(Millions)								
Reconciliation of ARO Liability:														
Balance as of January 1,	\$	664.4	\$	359.8	\$ 1,024.2	\$	650.3	\$	352.0	\$	1,002.3			
Accretion expense		14.4		5.0	19.4		14.1		7.8		21.9			
Balance as of December 31,	\$	678.8	\$	364.8	\$ 1,043.6	\$	664.4	\$	359.8	\$	1,024.2			
Asset Retirement Cost (ARC):	\$	334.3	\$	173.1	\$ 507.4	\$	334.3	\$	173.1	\$	507.4			

K-Reporting Impairment Losses - The Authority's Board authorized the retirement of six generating units during 2012. December 2012 was set for the permanent retirement date for four coal-fired generating units (Grainger Units 1 and 2 and Jefferies Units 3 and 4). In compliance with GASB 42, the required accounting entries were recorded for capital assets, depreciation effect, costs to be recovered from future revenue (CTBR) expense, materials and supplies.

2014 updates include continued preparation for a future sale of Grainger Units 1 and 2 and Jefferies Units 3 and 4 generating station assets. In addition, sales of coal (fuel stock pile) from the Jefferies and Grainger generating stations also continued. The sale of coal will continue at both generation sites (Jefferies and Grainger) until fully depleted.

The Authority continues to implement the appropriate processes to fully close the retired units in order to remain in compliance with regulatory requirements. It should be noted that the closure of the ash ponds at each site will result in additional entries and adjustments to accumulated depreciation, ARO and various other balances in subsequent years.

L - *Investment in Associated Companies* - The Authority is a member of The Energy Authority (TEA). Approximate ownership interests were as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014	2013
Owners	Ownershi	p (%)
City Utilities of Springfield (Missouri)	5.0	6.7
Cowlitz Public Utility District (Washington)	5.0	6.7
Gainesville Regional Utilities (Florida)	5.0	6.6
American Municipal Power (Ohio)	17.0	0.0
JEA (Florida)	17.0	20.0
MEAG Power (Georgia)	17.0	20.0
Nebraska Public Power District (Nebraska)	17.0	20.0
Santee Cooper (South Carolina)	17.0	20.0
Total	100.0	100.0

TEA markets wholesale power and coordinates the operation of the generation assets of its members to maximize the efficient use of electrical energy resources, reduce operating costs and increase operating revenues of the members. It is expected to accomplish the foregoing without impacting the safety and reliability of the electric system of each member. TEA does not engage in the construction or ownership of generation or transmission assets. In addition, it assists members with fuel hedging activities and acts as an agent in the execution of forward transactions. The Authority accounts for its investment in TEA under the equity method of accounting.

All of TEA's revenues and costs are allocated to the members. The following table summarizes the transactions applicable to the Authority:

Years Ended December 31,	2014	2	013
	(Tho	usands)	
TEA Investment:			
Balance as of January 1,	\$ 6,644	\$	7,932
Reduction to power costs and			
increases in electric revenues	25,336		21,322
Less: Distributions from TEA	23,674		22,444
Less: Other (includes equity losses)	25		166
Balance as of December 31,	\$ 8,281	\$	6,644
Due To/Due From TEA:			
Payable to	\$ 26,125	\$	29,249
Receivable from	\$ 782	\$	1,592

The Authority's exposure relating to TEA is limited to the Authority's capital investment, any accounts receivable and trade guarantees provided by the Authority. These guarantees are within the scope of FASB ASC 952. Upon the Authority making any payments under its electric guarantee, it has certain contribution rights with the other members in order that payments made under the TEA member guarantees would be equalized ratably, based upon each member's equity ownership interest. After such contributions have been affected, the Authority would only have recourse against TEA to recover amounts paid under the guarantee. The term of this guarantee is generally indefinite, but the Authority has the ability to terminate its guarantee obligations by providing advance notice to the beneficiaries thereof. Such termination of its guarantee obligations only applies to TEA transactions not yet entered into at the time the termination takes effect. The Authority's support of TEA's trading activities is limited based on the formula derived from the forward value of TEA's trading positions at a point in time. The formula was approved by the Authority's Board. At December 31, 2014, the trade guarantees are an amount not to exceed approximately \$85.3 million.

The Authority is also a member of Colectric Partners (Colectric). Ownership interests were as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014	2013
Owners	Ownersh	nip (%)
JEA (Florida)	25.0	25.0
MEAG Power (Georgia)	25.0	25.0
Nebraska Public Power District (Nebraska)	25.0	25.0
Santee Cooper (South Carolina)	25.0	25.0
Total	100.0	100.0

Colectric provides public power utilities with key project and business management resources. Colectric also specializes in the development, project management, operations and maintenance of public power utilities' electric generation facilities and electric system infrastructure. The members may elect to participate in Colectric initiatives based on individual utility needs.

Currently, the Authority participates in several of Colectric's initiatives. One involves managing the major gas turbine overhauls, thereby promoting the sharing of spare parts and technical expertise. Another is a strategic sourcing initiative, intended to achieve major cost savings through volume purchasing leverage. Other initiatives in which the Authority participates include steam turbine (combined cycle and non-combined cycle), gas turbine inlet air filters, maintenance/inspection/repair and borescope/NDT services for steam and gas turbines.

The Authority's exposure relating to Colectric is limited to its capital investment, any accounts receivable and any indemnifications related to agreements between Colectric and the Authority. These indemnifications are within the scope of FASB ASC 952. The Authority's initial investment in Colectric was \$413,000. The balance in its member equity account at December 31, 2014 and 2013 was approximately \$194,000 and \$196,000, respectively. Since 2001, cumulative net direct cost and direct savings have been \$4.4 million and \$18.8 million, respectively. Due to the maintenance sharing initiative ceasing, the Colectric Board of Directors voted to cease operations of Colectric effective March 31, 2015.

On October 1, 2013, the Authority along with MEAG Power became originating members of TEA Solutions. JEA and Cowlitz Public Utility District joined later in 2013. TEA Solutions is a publicly supported non-profit corporation. Members and ownership interests were as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014	2013
Owners	Owner	ship (%)
Cowlitz Public Service District (Washington)	8.0	0.0
American Municipal Power (Ohio)	23.0	10.0
JEA (Florida)	23.0	30.0
MEAG Power (Georgia)	23.0	30.0
Santee Cooper (South Carolina)	23.0	30.0
Total	100.0	100.0

TEA Solutions was formed mainly to (1) coordinate the operation of electric generation resources and the purchase and sale of electric power on behalf of the corporation's clients; (2) coordinate the purchase and sale of natural gas relating to fuel for clients' generation of electric energy or relating to clients' operation of a retail gas distribution system; and (3) provide consulting and software services to clients.

The Authority funded its initial share of TEA Solutions with a \$150,000 contribution in 2013. This contribution was to cover legal, consulting and other start-up costs pertaining to TEA Solutions. The Authority's exposure relating to TEA Solutions is limited to the Authority's capital investment, any accounts receivable and trade guarantees provided by the Authority. The balance in its member equity account at December 31, 2014 and 2013 was approximately \$110,000 and \$144,000, respectively.

M – **Deferred Outflows** / **Deferred Inflows of Resources** - In addition to assets, the Combined Statements of Net Position reports a separate section for Deferred Outflow of Resources. These items represent a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and until that time will not be recognized as an expense or expenditure. The Authority has two items meeting this criterion: (1) accumulated decrease in fair value of hedging derivatives; and (2) unamortized loss on refunded and defeased debt.

In addition to liabilities, the Combined Statements of Net Position also reports a separate section for Deferred Inflows of Resources. These items represent an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and until that time will not be recognized as revenue. The Authority has two items meeting this criterion: (1) accumulated increase in fair value of hedging derivatives; and (2) nuclear decommissioning costs.

The following table summarizes the Authority's total deferred items:

Years Ended December 31,			2013			
		(Thous	ands)			
Deferred outflows of resources	\$	203,638	\$	139,235		
Deferred inflows of resources	\$	208,501	\$	193,995		

N - **Accounting for Derivative Instruments** - In compliance with GASB 53 and 64, the annual changes in the fair value of effective hedging derivative instruments are required to be deferred (reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources on the Combined Statements of Net Position). Deferral of changes in fair value generally lasts until the transaction involving the hedged item ends.

Natural gas and heating oil, core business commodity inputs for the Authority, have historically been hedged in an effort to mitigate gas and oil cost risk by reducing cost volatility and improving cost effectiveness. Unrealized gains and losses related to such activity are deferred in a regulatory account and recognized in earnings as fuel costs are incurred in the production cycle.

A summary of the Authority's derivative activity for years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013 is below:

Years Ended December 31,			014	2	013
	Account Classification		(Millio	ons)	
Fair Value					
Natural gas	Regulatory assets/liabilities	\$	(60.3)	\$	(11.5)
Heating oil	Regulatory assets/liabilities		(8.6)		0.2
Changes in Fair Value					
Natural gas	Regulatory assets/liabilities	\$	(48.8)	\$	20.3
Heating oil	Regulatory assets/liabilities		(8.8)		(0.1)
Recognized Net Gains (Losses)				
Natural gas	Operating expense-fuel	\$	5.8	\$	(21.2)
Heating oil	Operating expense-fuel		(0.4)		(0.2)
Realized But Not Recogn	nized Net Gains (Losses)				
Natural gas	Regulatory assets/liabilities	\$	2.7	\$	6.5
Heating oil	Regulatory assets/liabilities		0.0		(0.2)
Notional					
			MBT	'Us	
Natural gas			61,980		51,860
			Gallons	(000s)	
Heating oil			12,012	•	4,620

O - Revenue Recognition and Fuel Costs - Substantially all wholesale and industrial revenues are billed and recorded at the end of each month. Revenues for electricity delivered to retail customers but not billed are accrued monthly. Accrued revenue for retail customers totaled \$15.3 million in 2014 and \$14.4 million in 2013.

Fuel costs are reflected in operating expenses as fuel is consumed. Fuel expense for all customers is billed utilizing rates and contracts, the majority of which include fuel adjustment provisions based on either the accrued costs for the previous month or the actual weighted average costs for the previous three-month period.

P-Bond Issuance Costs and Refunding Activity - GASB 62 requires that any gains or losses resulting from extinguishment of debt be expensed at the time of extinguishment. GASB 65 requires that debt issuance costs be expensed in the period incurred. In order to align the impact of these pronouncements with the Authority's rate making process, in October 2012, the Board authorized the use of regulatory accounting to allow continuation of prior accounting treatment with regard to these costs.

Consistent with prior accounting periods, unamortized debt discounts, premiums and expenses are amortized to income over the terms of the related debt issues. Gains or losses on refunded and extinguished debt are amortized to earnings over the shorter of the remaining life of the refunded debt or the life of the new debt.

Q - Distribution to the State - Any and all net earnings of the Authority not necessary for the prudent conduct and operation of its business in the best interests of the Authority or to pay the principal of and interest on its bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness or other obligations, or to fulfill the terms and provisions of any agreements made with the purchasers or holders thereof or others must be paid over semiannually to the State Treasurer for the general funds of the State. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the Authority from paying to the State each year up to one percent of its projected operating revenues, as such revenues would be determined on an accrual basis, from the combined electric and water systems. (Code of Laws of South Carolina, as amended Section 58-31-110).

Distributions made to the State in 2014 and 2013 totaled approximately \$20.7 million and \$20.4 million, respectively.

STATEMENT NO. & ISSUE DATE	TITLE/SUMMARY	SUMMARY OF ACTION BY THE AUTHORITY
Statement No. GASB 67	Financial Reporting for Pension Plans - an amendment of GASB 25	
Issue Date: June 2012 Description:	Effective for Periods Beginning After: June 15, 2013 The objective of GASB 67 is to improve financial reporting by state and local governmental pension plans. GASB 67 results from a comprehensive review of the effectiveness of existing standards of accounting and financial reporting for pensions with regard to providing decision-useful information, supporting assessments of accountability and interperiod equity and creating additional transparency. GASB 67 replaces the requirements of Statements No. 25, Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Note Disclosures for Defined Contribution Plans and No. 50, Pension Disclosures.	Reviewed and no action required.
Statement No. GASB 68	Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 27	
Issue Date: June 2012	Effective for Periods Beginning After: June 15, 2014	
Description:	The primary objective of this Statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for pensions. It also improves information provided by state and local governmental employers about financial support for pensions that is provided by other entities.	Under Review
Statement No. GASB 69	Government Combinations and Disposals of Government Operations	
Issue Date: January 2013 Description:	Effective for Periods Beginning After: December 15, 2013 This statement establishes accounting and financial reporting standards related to government combinations and disposals of government operations. As used in this Statement, the term "government combinations" includes a variety of transactions referred to as mergers, acquisitions and transfers of operations.	Reviewed and no action required.
Statement No. GASB 70	Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Financial Guarantees	
Issue Date: April 2013	Effective for Periods Beginning After: June 15, 2013	
Description:	The objective of this statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments that extend and receive nonexchange financial guarantees. This Statement requires a government that extends a nonexchange financial guarantee to recognize a liability when qualitative factors and historical data, if any, indicate that it is more likely than not the government will be required to make a payment on the guarantee.	Reviewed and no action required.
Statement No. GASB 71	Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68	
Issue Date: November 2013	The provisions of this Statement should be applied simultaneously with the provisions of Statement 68.	
Description:	The objective of this Statement is to address an issue regarding application of the transition provisions of Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions." The issue relates to amounts associated with contributions, if any, made by a state of local government employer or nonemployer contributing entity to a defined benefit pension plan after the measurement date of the government's beginning net pension liability.	Under Review

Note 2 - Costs to be Recovered From Future Revenue

The Authority's rates are established based upon debt service and operating fund requirements. Depreciation is not considered in the cost of service calculation used to design rates. In accordance with GASB 62, the differences between debt principal maturities (adjusted for the effects of premiums, discounts, expenses and amortization of deferred gains and losses) and depreciation on debt financed assets are recognized as CTBR. The recovery of outstanding amounts recorded as CTBR will coincide with the repayment of the applicable outstanding debt. The Authority's summary of CTBR activity is recapped below:

Years Ended December 31,	2	2014		2013			
		(Millio	ons)				
CTBR regulatory asset:							
Balance	\$	247.4	\$	227.6			
CTBR expense/(reduction to expense):							
Net expense	\$	(19.8)	\$	(7.4)			

NOTE 3 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013 was as follows:

	Beginning Balances		I	Increases		Decreases		ding Balances	
	Year 2014 (Thousands)								
Utility plant	\$	6,910,962	\$	156,358	\$	(43,591)	\$	7,023,729	
Long lived assets-asset retirement cost		507,394		0		0		507,394	
Accumulated depreciation		(3,150,020)		(210,661)		28,554		(3,332,127)	
Total utility plant - net		4,268,336		(54,303)		(15,037)		4,198,996	
Construction work in progress		2,100,631		768,586		(156,366)		2,712,851	
Other physical property - net		6,084		79		(224)		5,939	
Totals	\$	6,375,051	\$	714,362	\$	(171,627)	\$	6,917,786	
				Year 2 (Thousa					
Utility plant	\$	6,744,928	\$	189,268	\$	(23,234)	\$	6,910,962	
Long lived assets-asset retirement cost		507,394		0		0		507,394	
Accumulated depreciation		(2,954,471)		(233,462)		37,913		(3,150,020)	
Total utility plant - net		4,297,851		(44,194)		14,679		4,268,336	
Construction work in progress		1,643,507		644,343		(187,219)		2,100,631	
Other physical property - net		6,560		0		(476)		6,084	
Totals	\$	5,947,918	\$	600,149	\$	(173,016)	\$	6,375,051	

NOTE 4 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS HELD BY TRUSTEE AND FUND DETAILS

All cash and investments of the Authority are held and maintained by custodians and trustees. The use of unexpended proceeds from sale of bonds, debt service funds and other sources is designated in accordance with applicable provisions of various bond resolutions, lease agreements, the Enabling Act included in the South Carolina Code of Laws (the Enabling Act) or by management directive. Restricted funds have constraints placed on their use (see Note 1 - E – "Restricted Assets"). The use of unrestricted funds may be either designated for a specific use by management directive or undesignated, but are available to provide liquidity for operations as needed.

Following are the details of the Authority's funds which are classified in the accompanying financial statements as unrestricted and restricted cash, cash equivalents and investments:

Fears Ended December 31, 2014							2013					
	(Cash &						sh &				
		Cash						ash				
Funds	Eq	uivalents	Inv	estments	Γ			valents	Inv	estments		Total
						(Thousa:	nds)					
Current Unrestricted:												
Capital Improvement	\$	44,216	\$	132,728	\$	176,944	\$	40,798	\$	85,154	\$	125,952
Debt Reduction		10,713		45,224		55,937		5,201		49,473		54,674
Funds from Taxable Borrowings		11,457		130,895		142,352		10,780		229,403		240,183
General Improvement		1,438		1,450		2,888		413		2,461		2,874
Internal Nuclear Decommissioning Fund		415		83,090		83,505		846		73,595		74,441
Nuclear Fuel		5,318		23,999		29,317		1,010		1,000		2,010
Revenue and Operating		72,021		33,007		105,028		89,103		31,999		121,102
Special Reserve and Other		26,252		69,889		96,141		24,587		53,499		78,086
Total	\$	171,830	\$	520,282	\$	692,112	\$	172,738	\$	526,584	\$	699,322
Debt Service Funds Funds from Tax-exempt Borrowings Other	\$	65,178 164,567 59,404	\$	122,340 691,392 22,300	\$	187,518 855,959 81,704	\$	74,551 89,250 18,654	\$	118,270 622,466 21,914	\$	192,821 711,716 40,568
Total	\$	289,149	\$	836,032	\$	1,125,181	\$	182,455	\$	762,650	\$	945,105
Noncurrent Restricted:												
External Nuclear Decommissioning Trust	\$	352	\$	122,657	\$	123,009	\$	1,535		109,060	\$	110,595
Total	\$	352	\$	122,657	\$	123,009	\$	1,535	\$	109,060	\$	110,595
TOTAL FUNDS	\$	461,331	\$	1,478,971	\$	1,940,302	\$	356,728	\$	1,398,294	\$ 1	1,755,022
Cash and investments as of December 31, o	consis	ted of the	follov	wing:	Φ.	07 502					ф	60.204
Cash/Deposits					\$	87,503					\$	60,394
Investments						1,852,799						1,694,628
Total cash and investments					\$	1,940,302					\$ 1	1,755,022

Current Unrestricted Funds — These funds are used for operating activities for the Authority's respective systems. Although funds are segregated per management directive based on their intended use, since no restrictions apply, the funds are available to provide additional liquidity for operations. Included in this category is the internal Nuclear Decommissioning Fund intended by management to be used to offset future nuclear decommissioning costs and represents amounts in excess of the mandated Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) decommissioning requirement which is funded separately in an external Nuclear Decommissioning Trust. Also included are funds from taxable borrowings intended to be used for both capital construction costs and for working capital purposes, as expected at the time proceeds are borrowed.

Current Restricted Funds — These funds are restricted in their allowed use. Debt service funds are restricted for payment of principal and interest debt service on outstanding debt. Funds from tax-exempt borrowings are intended to be used for capital construction costs as expected at the time proceeds are borrowed and are restricted pursuant to sections of both the U.S. Treasury Regulations and the Internal Revenue Code that govern the use of tax-exempt debt. Other funds are restricted for other special purposes.

Noncurrent Restricted Funds – These funds are restricted as to their specific use. The external Nuclear Decommissioning Trust is restricted for future nuclear decommissioning costs and represents the mandated NRC funding requirements.

The Authority's investments are authorized by the Enabling Act, the Authority's investment policy and the Revenue Obligation Resolution. Authorized investment types include Federal Agency Securities, State of South Carolina General Obligation Bonds and U.S. Treasury Obligations, all of which are limited to a 10 year maximum maturity in all portfolios, except the decommissioning funds. Certificate of Deposits and Repurchase Agreements are also authorized with a maximum maturity of one year.

All debt securities are recorded at their fair value with gains and losses in fair value reflected as a component of non-operating income in the Combined Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position.

The Authority's investment activity in all fund categories is summarized as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014		2013
Total Portfolio	(Billio	ons)	
Total investments	\$ 1.8	\$	1.7
Purchases	71.2		55.0
Sales	71.0		54.5
Nuclear Decommissioning Portfolios	(Millio	ons)	
Total investments	\$ 206.5	\$	185.0
Purchases	691.4		588.3
Sales	685.7		583.1
Unrealized holding gains	17.0		7.3
Repurchase Agreements (1)	(Millio	ons)	
Balance at December 31	\$ 304.1	\$	238.6

⁽¹⁾ Securities underlying repurchase agreements must have a market value of at least 102 percent of the cost of the repurchase agreement and are delivered by broker/dealers to the Authority's custodial agents.

Common deposit and investment risks related to credit risk, custodial credit risk, concentration of credit risk, interest rate risk and foreign currency risk are as follows:

	Exposur									
As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, all of the agency securities held by the Authority were rated AAA by Fitch Ratings, Aaa by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. and AA+ by Standard & Poor's Rating Services.										
As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, all of the Authority's investment securities are held by the Trustee or Agent of the Authority and therefore, there is no custodial risk for investment securities. At December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Authority had no exposure to custodial credit risk for deposits that were uninsured and/or collateral that was held by the bank's agent not in the Authority's name.										
Security Type / Issuer		Fair Value								
		2014	201	13						
Federal Agency Fixed Income Secu	rities	Γ)	'housands)							
Federal Home Loan Bank	\$	597,048	\$	465,448						
Federal National Mortgage Association		334,680		255,042						
Federal Farm Credit Bank		319,420		215,631						
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp	225,405		416,540							
Investment Type:	Fair Value (Thousands)	Weighted Average Maturity (Years)	Fair Value (Thousands)	Weighted Average Maturity (Years)						
Certificates of Deposits	\$ 1,450	0.21	\$ 1,450	0.21						
Federal Agency Discount Notes	465,622	0.18	508,489	0.24						
Federal Agency Securities	1,036,008	2.32	867,850	3.09						
Repurchase Agreements	304,118	0.01	238,599	0.01						
U.S. Treasury Notes and Strips	45,601	7.43	78,240	4.02						
Total	\$ 1,852,799		\$ 1,694,628							
Portfolio Weighted Average Maturity		1.45		1.88						
Decommissioning Trust and Nuclear Decon U.S. Treasury Strips ranging in maturity from million par in government agency zero coup to April 15, 2030. Zero coupon bonds or U coupon bonds. These portfolios are structure Authority has a buy and hold strategy for the assumptions, it is anticipated that no funds we	nmissioning Fund. August 15, 2015 on securities in the S. Treasury Strips red to hold these sees portfolios. Bas will be needed any	Together the to May 15, 20 e two portfolio are subject to ecurities to maked on the Auteralier than 20	se accounts hold 39. The account os ranging in mal wider swings in aturity or early re thority's current	d \$46.1 million par its also hold \$54.0 turity from June 1, 2 their market value edemption. The decommissioning						
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NOTE 5 – LONG-TERM DEBT

Debt Outstanding

The Authority's long-term debt at December 31, 2014 and 2013 consisted of the following:

	2014	2013		Interest Rate(s) (1)	Call Price (2)		
	(Tho	usands)		(%)	(%)		
Capitalized Lease Obligations: (final maturity 2014)	\$ 0	\$	244	N/A	N/A		
Revenue Obligations: (mature through 2054)							
1999 Taxable Series B	0		1,700	N/A	N/A		
2003 Refunding Series A	0	10	0,870	N/A	N/A		
2004 Tax-exempt Series A	0	4.	5,610	N/A	N/A		
2004 Taxable Series B	3,250		6,365	4.52	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premiu		
2004 Series M (4)	30,380	30	0,031	4.25-5.00	100/Accreted Value		
2005 Refunding Series A	105,265	12.	5,295	5.25-5.50	100		
2005 Refunding Series B	217,065	22:	2,725	5.00	100		
2005 Refunding Series C	78,150	78	8,150	4.125-4.75	100		
2005 Series M (4)	12,836	12	2,701	4.00-4.35	100/Accreted Value		
2006 Tax-exempt Series A	13,370	432	2,475	4.00-5.00	100		
2006 Taxable Series B	31,250	59	9,500	5.05	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premiu		
2006 Series M (4)	7,881		7,811	4.00-4.20	100/Accreted Value		
2006 Refunding Series C	91,820	11-	4,755	4.00-5.00	100		
2007 Series A	114,400	290	0,175	4.10-5.00	100		
2007 Refunding Series B	62,760	82	2,855	4.00-5.00	Non-callable		
2008 Tax-exempt Series A	376,985		1,985	5.00-5.75	100		
2008 Taxable Series B	25,000		5,000	8.368	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premi		
2008 Series M (4)	21,049	20	0,901	3.80-4.80	100/Accreted Value		
2009 Tax-exempt Refunding Series A	83,535	84	4,605	3.00-5.00	100		
2009 Tax-exempt Series B	144,875		0,075	5.00-5.25	100		
2009 Taxable Series C	86,895		6, 970	4.27-6.224	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premi		
2009 Tax-exempt Series E	100,000	21.	5,755	4.75-5.00	100		
2009 Taxable Series F	100,000	100	0,000	5.74	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premi		
2010 Series M1 (4)	27,991	2	7,806	2.00-4.30	100/Accreted Value		
2010 Refunding Series B	190,905	220	0,665	3.00-5.00	100		
2010 Series M2 (4)	17,402	1	7,361	1.60-3.875	100/Accreted Value		
2010 Series C (Build America Bonds) (3)	360,000	360	0,000	6.454	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premi		
2011 Series M1 (4)	26,781	20	6,655	2.00-4.80	100/Accreted Value		
2011 Refunding Series B	279,600	282	2,700	4.00-5.00	Non-callable		
2011 Refunding Series C	135,855	13.	5,855	4.375-5.00	100		
2011 Series M2 (4)	21,922	2	1,935	1.40-4.20	100/Accreted Value		
2012 Refunding Series A	92,985	98	8,610	3.00-5.00	100		
2012 Refunding Series B	23,200		5,200	5.00	Non-callable		
2012 Refunding Series C	80,120		5,305	5.00	Non-callable		
2012 Tax-exempt Series D	298,785		0,120	3.00-5.00	100		
2012 Taxable Series E	262,830		2,830	3.572-4.551	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premi		
2012 Series M1 (4)	21,055		1,124	1.40-4.00	100/Accreted Value		
2012 Series M2 (4)	18,149		8,301	1.10-3.70	100/Accreted Value		
2013 Series M1 (4)	23,327		3,366	1.30-3.90	100/Accreted Value		
2013 Tax-exempt Series A	252,655		2,655	5.00-5.75	100		
2013 Tax-exempt Refunding Series B	388,730		8,730	5.00-5.125	100		
2013 Taxable Series C	250,000		0,000	5.784	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premi		
3		23	-,	1 Month LIBOR			
2013 Taxable Series D (LIBOR Index Bonds)	100,000	450	0,000	plus 1.10	100		
2013 Tax-exempt Series E	506,765		6,765	5.00-5.50	100		

Debt Outstanding (continued)

2014	201	13	Interest Rate(s) (1)	Call Price (2)
(Thou	usands)		(%)	(%)
39,764		0	1.75-4.30	100/Accreted Value
600,000		0	2.50-6.45	100
42,275		0	5.00	100
704,525		0	3.00-5.50	100
31,795		0	2.906-3.606	P&I Plus Make-Whole Premium
6,504,182		6,402,292		
44,956		44,956		
149,689		133,671		
6,399,449	\$	6,313,821		
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⁽¹⁾ Interest Rates apply only to bonds outstanding as of December 31, 2014.

⁽²⁾ Call Price may only apply to certain maturities outstanding at December 31, 2014.

⁽³⁾ These bonds were issued as "Build America Bonds" under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and are eligible to receive an interest subsidy payment from the United States Department of Treasury in an amount up to 35% of interest payable on the bonds.

⁽⁴⁾ Includes Current Interest Bearing Bonds (CIBS) and Capital Appreciation Bonds (CABS).

Changes in Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt (LTD) activity for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013 was as follows:

	C I	TD					C	ross LTD	C-			otal LTD	Un	amortized		LTD-Net
	Gross LTD								irrent	,	Net of	ъ.	Debt			
	Beginn					Ending Portion		Current		Discounts and		Ending				
	Balan	ces	Increases		Decreases		1	Balances		LTD		ortion)	Premiums		Balances	
								2014								
						(T	hous	ands)								
Capitalized Lease																
Obligations	\$	244	\$	0	\$	(244)	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
Other Long-Term						, ,										
Obligations		44,956		0		0		44,956		0		44,956		(467)		44,489
Revenue Obligations	6,	402,292	1,	420,895	(1	,319,005)		6,504,182		149,689		6,354,493		240,180		6,594,673
Totals	\$ 6,	447,492	\$ 1,	420,895	\$ (1	,319,249)	\$	6,549,138	\$	149,689	\$	6,399,449	\$	239,713	\$	6,639,162
						Y.	EAR	2013								
						Τ)	'hous	ands)								
Capitalized Lease																
Obligations	\$	1,227	\$	0	\$	(983)	\$	244	\$	244	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
Other Long-Term	π	-,	π		π	(* 50)	π		π				"		π	
Obligations		0		44,956		0		44,956		0		44,956		(720)		44,236
Revenue Obligations	5.	,556,566	1,	873,808	(1	,028,082)		6,402,292		133,427		6,268,865		143,278		6,412,143
Totals	\$ 5	,557,793	\$ 1,	918,764	\$ (1	,029,065)	\$	6,447,492	\$	133,671	\$	6,313,821	\$	142,558	\$	6,456,379

Summary of Long-Term Principal and Interest

Maturities and projected interest payments of long-term debt are as follows:

	PRINCIPAL						_			
	Lor	Other ong-Term Revenue Total bligations Obligations Principal					TOTAL ΓEREST (2)	TOTAL		
Year Ending December 31,					(T	'housands)				
2015 (1)	\$	0	\$	136,899	\$	136,899	\$	320,602	\$	457,501
2016 (1)		44,956		229,907		274,863		314,596		589,459
2017		0		144,258		144,258		306,867		451,125
2018		0		157,491		157,491		300,414		457,905
2019		0		187,282		187,282		292,591		479,873
2020-2024		0		890,526		890,526		1,339,811		2,230,337
2025-2029		0		714,933		714,933		1,168,522		1,883,455
2030-2034		0		775,041		775,041		999,078		1,774,119
2035-2039		0		855,820		855,820		780,827		1,636,647
2040-2044		0		819,530		819,530		568,149		1,387,679
2045-2049		0		973,875		973,875		320,763		1,294,638
2050-2054		0		618,620		618,620		91,926		710,546
Total	\$	44,956	\$	6,504,182	\$	6,549,138	\$	6,804,146	\$	13,353,284

⁽¹⁾ Years 2015-2016 include projected interest for 2013 Taxable Series D (LIBOR Index Bonds).

⁽²⁾ Includes Revenue Obligations only - no other applicable interest. Does not reflect impact of subsidy interest payments on 2010 Taxable C (Build America Bonds).

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Summary of Refunded and Defeased Debt and Unamortized Losses

Refunded and defeased debt, original loss on refunding and the unamortized loss at December 31, 2014 are as follows:

Refunding Description		Refu De		Outst	anding	riginal Loss	ortized oss
				(Thousan	ds)		
Cash Defeasance	\$	20,000	1982 Series A	\$	0	\$ 2,763	\$ 553
Commercial Paper	\$	76,050	1973 Series				
1		105,605	1977 Series				
		81,420	1978 Series		0	2,099	10
2005 Refunding Series A	\$	74,970	1995 Refunding Series A				
Ü		37,740	1995 Refunding Series B				
		20,080	1996 Refunding Series A		0	23,864	6,141
2005 Refunding Series B	\$	2,590	1995 Refunding Series A				
2005 Returning Series D	ý	100,320	1995 Refunding Series B				
		192,305	1996 Refunding Series A				
		21,505	1996 Refunding Series B		0	73,749	25,426
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2005 Refunding Series C	\$	86,335	1993 Refunding Series C		0	12,125	5,790
2006 Refunding Series C	\$	105,005	1999 Series A				
		10,000	2002 Series B		0	7,054	543
2007 Refunding Series B	\$	105,370	1997 Refunding Series A		0	8,832	1,600
2007 Retunding Series D	ű	105,570	1777 Returning Series 11		0	0,032	1,000
2009 Refunding Series A	\$	99,515	1997 Refunding Series A				
		20,125	1998 Refunding Series B		0	8,707	5,726
2010 Refunding Series B	\$	30,430	2001 Series A				
2010 Returning Series B	ې	118,600	2002 Series B				
		84,780	2002 Series D 2002 Refunding Series D		0	22,954	10,891
		07,700	2002 Retailing belies D			22,737	10,071
2011 Refunding Series B	\$	8,990	2002 Refunding Series D				
		291,825	2004 Series A		0	23,287	13,027
		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				/	
2011 Refunding Series C	\$	134,715	2002 Series B				
		5,160	2007 Series A		0	4,362	3,770
	_						
2012 Refunding Series A	\$	73,535	2003 Refunding Series A			40.50	0.055
		34,160	2004 Series A		0	12,206	8,372
Feb 2012 Defeasance	\$	5,615	2003 Refunding Series A		0	749	639
	Ÿ	5,015	======================================			. 12	007

Summary of Refunded and Defeased Debt and Unamortized Losses (continued)

Refunding		Refunded		Original	Unamortized
Description		Debt	Outstanding	Loss	Loss
		(Tho	usands)		
2013 Refunding Series B	\$ 209,426	2003 Refunding Series A			
	7,070	2004 Series A			
	5,000	2006 Series A			
	6,565	2007 Series A			
	82,605	2008 Series B			
	1,125	2009 Series B			
	30,158	2011 Series A (LIBOR Index)			
	2,040	2012 Series D	0	14,446	13,719
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2013 Refunding Series C	\$ 35,584	2003 Refunding Series A			
	97,695	2008 Series B	0	4,601	4,310
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2014 Refunding Series C &	\$ 10,870	2003 Refunding Series A			
Taxable Refunding Series D	11,395	2005 Refunding Series A			
	419,105	2006 Series A			
	10,385	2006 Refunding Series C			
	175,775	2007 Series A			
	4,230	2007 Refunding Series B			
	15,000	2008 Series A			
	15,200	2009 Series B			
	12,920 3,100	2010 Refunding Series B 2011 Refunding Series B			
	5,625	2012 Refunding Series A			
	2,000	2012 Refunding Series B			
	15,185	2012 Refunding Series C			
	11,335	2012 Series D			
	18,185	2013 Taxable Series D (LIBOR Index)			
	44,075	Expansion Bond Refunding CP	673,240	32,936	32,667
Nov 2014 Defeasance	\$ 331,815	2013 Taxable Series D (LIBOR Index)	0	1,097	496
Total			\$ 673,240	\$ 255,831	\$ 133,680

Analysis of Prior Year Current Portion of Long-term Debt

As a part of its long-term capital structure plan, the Authority will be involved in a multi-year refinancing plan. As a result, each year certain maturities classified as current portion of long-term debt may be refinanced in the subsequent year prior to the maturity date. Below is an analysis of the 2013 current portion of long-term debt showing the amounts paid as debt service in 2014 and the amount refinanced. The remaining amount represents five percent of the original principal for all outstanding minibond issues.

Analysis of December 31, 2013 Current Portion of Long-term Debt:	(Th	ousands)
Principal debt service paid from 2014 Revenues	\$	94,004
Refinanced and other:		
2014 maturities refinanced		28,015
5% current portion requirement for original minibond issue amount (1)		11,652
Total	\$	133,671

⁽¹⁾ Represents five percent annual cap on the requirement related to put features on all outstanding minibond issues. This is an accounting entry only and does not impact debt service.

An analysis of the \$334,842 current portion of long-term debt at December 31, 2012 showed that \$166,393 was debt service paid from 2013 revenues and \$158,355 of maturities were refinanced. The remaining \$10,094 represented five percent of the original principal for outstanding minibond issues.

Reconciliations of Interest Charges

Years Ended December 31,		2014	2013		
Reconciliation of interest cost to interest expense	<i>:</i>				
Total interest cost	\$	317,159	\$	278,274	
Capitalized interest		(31,385)		(32,751)	
Deferred interest expense		(14,652)		(22,351)	
Interest charged to fuel expense		(2,133)		(2,105)	
Total interest expense on long-term debt	\$	268,989	\$	221,067	
Reconciliation of interest cost to interest paymen	ts:				
Total interest cost	\$	317,159	\$	278,274	
Accrued interest - current year		(79,061)		(100,159)	
Accrued interest - prior year		100,159		108,465	
Interest released by refundings		(12,819)		(5,030)	
Accretion on capital appreciation minibonds		(2,881)		(2,402)	
Adjustment for prior year interest expense		(93)		0	
Total interest payments on long term debt					

Debt Service Coverage

Years Ended December 31,		2014		2013
		(The	ousands)
Operating revenues	\$	1,997,347	\$	1,816,576
Other income		28,084		9,246
Total revenues and income		2,025,431		1,825,822
Operating expenses		(1,619,224)		(1,524,182)
Depreciation Depreciation		173,743		196,812
Total expenses		(1,445,481)		(1,327,370)
Funds available for debt service prior to distribution to the State		579,950		498,452
Distribution to the State		(20,659)		(20,394)
Funds available for debt service after distribution to the State	\$	559,291	\$	478,058
Debt Service on Accrual Basis:				
Principal on long-term debt	\$	108,851	\$	117,994
Interest on long-term debt		268,989		221,067
Interest on long-term debt paid from borrowed proceeds		0		(12,720)
Long-term debt service paid from Revenues		377,840	_	326,341
Commercial paper and other principal and interest		7,453		6,6 70
Total debt service paid from Revenues	\$	385,293	\$	333,011
Debt Service Coverage Ratio:				
Excluding commercial paper and other:				
Prior to distribution to the State		1.53		1.52
After distribution to the State		1.48		1.46
Including commercial paper and other:				
Prior to distribution to the State		1.50		1.49
After distribution to the State		1.45	_	1.43
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Fair Value of Debt Outstanding

The fair value of the Authority's debt is estimated based on quoted market prices for the same or similar issues or on the current rates offered to the Authority for debt with the same remaining maturities. Based on the borrowing rates currently available to the Authority for debt with similar terms and average maturities, the fair value of debt was \$7.7 billion and \$7.0 billion at December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

2014 Bond Market Transactions

Bond market transactions for the year ended December 31, 2014 were as follows:

Revenue Obligations, 2014 Series M1	Amount:	\$39,584,800	Authorized:	May 1, 2014
Summary: - Issued Current Interest Bearing Bonds in \$500 de	nominations an	d Capital Appreci	iation Bonds in \$	200 denominations
- Issued directly by the Authority to residents of the	State, custome	ers of the Authori	ty, members of e	lectric cooperatives
organized under the laws of the State and electric	customers of th	e Bamberg Board	l of Public Work	s and the City of
Georgetown				
- Interest rates range from 1.75 percent in 2019 and	4.30 percent in	1 2034		
Revenue Obligations, 2014 Tax-exempt Series A and	Par		Date	
Revenue Obligations, 2011 Tax exempt belies it and	I ai		Date	
Refunding Series B	Amount:	\$642,275,000	Authorized:	June 13, 2014
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Amount:	. , ,		June 13, 2014
Refunding Series B	Amount:	. , ,		June 13, 2014
Refunding Series B Summary: - Issued July 9, 2014 at an aggregate all-in true inter	Amount:	. , ,		June 13, 2014
Refunding Series B Summary: - Issued July 9, 2014 at an aggregate all-in true inter - Maturities between Dec 1, 2031 and Dec 1, 2054	Amount: est cost of 4.90	. , ,	Authorized:	June 13, 2014 October 17, 2014

Date

- Maturities between Dec 1, 2020 and Dec 1, 2046

Debt Covenant Compliance

As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Authority was in compliance with all debt covenants. The Authority's bond indentures provide for certain restrictions, the most significant of which are:

- (1) the Authority covenants to establish rates sufficient to pay all debt service, required lease payments, capital improvement fund requirements and all costs of operation and maintenance of the Authority's electric and water systems and all necessary repairs, replacements and renewals thereof; and
- (2) the Authority is restricted from issuing additional parity bonds unless certain conditions are met.

All Authority debt (Electric and Water Systems) issued pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution is payable solely from and secured by a lien upon and pledge of the applicable Electric and Water Revenues of the Authority. Revenue Obligations are senior to:

- (1) payment of expenses for operating and maintaining the Systems;
- (2) payments for debt service on capitalized leases;
- (3) payments for debt service on commercial paper; and
- (4) payments made into the Capital Improvement Fund.

Bond Outstanding Summary

As of December 31,	2014	2013
Outstanding Revenue Obligations	\$6.5 Billion	\$6.4 Billion
Estimated remaining interest payments	\$6.8 Billion	\$5.6 Billion
Issuance years (inclusive)	2004 through 2014	1999 through 2013
Maturity years (inclusive)	2015 through 2054	2014 through 2053

NOTE 6 – VARIABLE RATE DEBT

The Board has authorized the issuance of variable rate debt not to exceed twenty percent of the aggregate Authority debt outstanding (including commercial paper) as of the last day of the most recent fiscal year for which audited financial statements of the Authority are available. At December 31, 2014, seven percent of the Authority's aggregate debt outstanding was variable rate. The lien and pledge of Revenues securing variable rate debt issued as Revenue Obligations is senior to that securing commercial paper.

Commercial paper is issued for valid corporate purposes with a term not to exceed 270 days. The information related to commercial paper was as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014	2	2013
Commercial paper outstanding (000's)	\$ 410,139	\$	372,073
Effective interest rate (at December 31)	0.15%		0.13%
Average annual amount outstanding (000's)	\$ 341,974	\$	374,497
Average maturity	51 Days		45 Days
Average annual effective interest rate	0.13%		0.17%

As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Authority had Revolving Credit Agreements with Barclays Bank PLC, J.P. Morgan Chase Bank, N.A., TD Bank, N.A., U.S. Bank, N.A., and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. totaling \$800.0 million for both years. These agreements are used to support the Authority's issuance of commercial paper. There were no borrowings under the agreements during 2014 or 2013.

NOTE 7 - SUMMER NUCLEAR STATION

Nuclear Unit 1 - The Authority and SCE&G are parties to a joint ownership agreement providing that the Authority and SCE&G shall own Unit 1 at the Summer Nuclear Station with undivided interests of 33 1/3 percent and 66 2/3 percent, respectively. SCE&G is solely responsible for the design, construction, budgeting, management, operation, maintenance and decommissioning of Unit 1 and the Authority is obligated to pay its ownership share of all costs relating thereto. The Authority receives 33 1/3 percent of the net electricity generated. In 2004, the NRC granted a twenty-year extension to the operating license for Unit 1, extending it to August 6, 2042.

Authority's Share of Summer Nuclear - Unit 1

Years Ended December 31,	2	2014	2013
		(Millio	ons)
Plant balances before depreciation	\$	521.3	\$ 515.9
Accumulated depreciation		332.9	326.7
Operation & maintenance expense		83.9	90.2

Nuclear fuel costs are being amortized based on energy expended using the unit-of-production method. Through April 2014, costs include a component for disposal of spent nuclear fuel; however, in May, the Department of Energy (DOE) suspended the collection of spent fuel disposal fees. Fuel amortization and disposal fees are included in fuel expense and recovered through the Authority's rates.

In 2002, SCE&G commenced a re-racking project of the on-site spent fuel pool. The new pool storage capability will permit full core off-load through 2017. SCE&G has signed contracts with HOLTEC International, The Shaw Group, Inc. and Westinghouse Electric Company, Inc. (Westinghouse) to build a licensed Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (ISFSI) to commence receiving fuel in 2016.

The NRC requires a licensee of a nuclear reactor to provide minimum financial assurance of its ability to decommission its nuclear facilities. In compliance with the applicable NRC regulations, the Authority established an external trust fund and began making deposits into this fund in September 1990. In addition to providing for the minimum requirements imposed by the NRC, the Authority makes deposits into an internal fund in the amount necessary to fund the difference between a site-specific decommissioning study completed in 2012 and the NRC's imposed minimum requirement. Based on these estimates, the Authority's one-third share of the estimated decommissioning costs of Unit 1 equals approximately \$315.1 million in 2012 dollars. As deposits are made, the Authority debits FERC account 532 - Maintenance of Nuclear Plant, an amount equal to the deposits made to the internal and external trust funds. These costs are recovered through the Authority's rates.

Based on current decommissioning cost estimates, these funds, which totaled approximately \$206.5 million (adjusted to market) at December 31, 2014, along with future deposits into the external decommissioning trust and investment earnings, are estimated to provide sufficient funds for the Authority's one-third share of the total decommissioning costs.

Nuclear Units 2 and 3 - The Authority and SCE&G are constructing and planning to operate two additional nuclear generating units at Summer Nuclear Station (Units 2 and 3) and submitted an application to the NRC in March 2008 for a combined Construction and Operating License (COL) for each of the two new units. On May 22, 2008, the Authority's Board authorized the Authority to execute a Limited Agency Agreement appointing SCE&G to act as the Authority's agent in connection with the performance of an Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) Agreement. On May 23, 2008, SCE&G, acting for itself and as agent for the Authority, entered into an EPC Agreement with Westinghouse and Stone & Webster, Inc., (a subsidiary of The Shaw Group, Inc.), for the engineering, procurement and construction of two 1,117 MW nuclear generating units. Chicago Bridge & Iron Company acquired The Shaw Group, Inc. in February 2013.

On October 20, 2011, the Authority and SCE&G entered into a Design and Construction Agreement. Among other things, the Design and Construction Agreement allows either or both parties to withdraw from the project under certain circumstances. Also on October 20, 2011, the Authority and SCE&G entered into an Operating and Decommissioning Agreement with respect to the two units. Both the Design and Construction Agreement and the Operating and Decommissioning Agreement define the conditions under which the Authority or SCE&G may convey an undivided ownership interest in the new units to a third party. Together the Design and Construction Agreement and the Operating and Decommissioning Agreement provide for a 45 percent ownership interest by the Authority in each of the two new units and replace the Amended and Restated Bridge Agreement which had governed the relationship between the Authority and SCE&G.

The Authority received the COLs on March 30, 2012. On April 5, 2012, the Authority's Board authorized the Authority to expend up to \$4.9 billion to fund the Authority's share of the EPC Agreement and associated Owner's Costs to complete the project. Construction is progressing and the following significant milestones were completed in 2014:

Month		
Completed	Unit	Milestones
April	3	Completed erection of Module CR10 (Containment Vessel Bottom Head Support)
May	2	Set Module CA20 (Portion of Auxiliary Building - Contains Refueling Canal, Spent Fuel Pool)
May	3	Set Containment Vessel Bottom Head
June	2	Set Containment Vessel Lower Ring
December	2	Set Module CA05 inside Containment Vessel (CVS/Access Tunnel/PXS)

The Authority anticipates that Unit 2 will go into service by June 2019, and Unit 3 will go into service approximately one year after Unit 2.

As part of its capital improvement program, the Authority has evaluated its level of participation in the new units. Due to developments since initiation of the project, the Authority has taken actions necessary to reduce its 45 percent ownership interest. In January 2014, the Authority entered into an agreement whereby SCE&G will purchase from the Authority an additional 5% interest in the project. Under the terms of the agreement, SCE&G will own 60% of the new nuclear units and the Authority, 40%. The 5% ownership interest will be acquired in three stages, with 1% to be acquired at the commercial operation date of the first new nuclear unit, an additional 2% to be acquired no later than the first anniversary of such commercial operation date, and the final 2% to be acquired no later than the second anniversary of such commercial operation date. Beginning 2011, the Authority deferred a portion of interest expense representing the amount related to the assumed ownership reduction. In 2013, the Authority continued deferring and began capitalizing portions of related interest expense based on revised ownership assumptions.

NOTE 8 – LEASES

The Authority made the final payment related to the capital lease contracts with Central on November 26, 2014. At December 31, 2014 and 2013, the outstanding principal balances were \$0 and \$244, respectively.

Information related to property under capital leases and operating lease payments follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014	2014 20		
		(Millio	ons)	_
Property under capital leases:				
Property balances	\$	0.0	\$	10.2
Accumulated depreciation		0.0		8.7
Operating lease payments (1)		2.1		1.7

⁽¹⁾ Includes periodic leased coal car expenses which are initially reflected in fuel inventory and subsequently reported in fuel expense based on tons burned.

Expiration term of current coal car leases: (2)	March and December 2015
(2) The maximum amount due for coal car leases for 2015 is \$6	672,300.

Hydroelectric generating facility lease:

- Automatically extended for five-year periods
- May be terminated by either party by giving a two-year notice
- Obligation is \$600,000 per year plus operating expenses

NOTE 9 – CONTRACTS WITH ELECTRIC POWER COOPERATIVES

Central is a generation and transmission cooperative that provides wholesale electric service to each of the 20 distribution cooperatives which are members of Central. Power supply and transmission services are provided to Central in accordance with a power system coordination and integration agreement (the Coordination Agreement). Under this agreement, the Authority is the predominant supplier of energy needs for Central, excluding amounts supplied by others to five of its member cooperatives located in the upper part of the State which is further described below, energy Central receives from the Southeastern Power Administration (SEPA), minimal amounts provided by Broad River Electric Cooperative's ownership interest in a small run of the river hydroelectric plant and negligible amounts purchased from others.

Central, under the terms of the Coordination Agreement, has the right to audit costs billed to them through the Coordination Agreement. Any differences found as a result of this process are accrued if they are probable and estimable. To the extent that differences arise, prospective adjustments are made to the cost of service and are reflected in operating revenues in the accompanying Combined Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position. Such adjustments in 2014 and 2013 were not material to the Authority's overall operating revenue.

In September 2009, the Authority and Central entered into an agreement which, among other things, would permit Central to purchase the electric power and energy requirements necessary to serve five of its member cooperatives located in the upper part of the State that were formerly members of Saluda: Blue Ridge Electric Cooperative, Inc., Broad River Electric Cooperative, Inc., Laurens Electric Cooperative, Inc., Little River Electric Cooperative, Inc. and York Electric Cooperative, Inc. (the Upstate Load) from a supplier other than the Authority.

The Upstate Load began transitioning to the new supplier in 2013. The transition will continue through 2019 and will amount to approximately 900 MW.

In April and May 2013, the Central and Authority Boards, respectively, approved an Amendment to the Central Agreement (the Amended Central Agreement). This amendment provides that both parties waive their rights to terminate the agreement until at least December 31, 2058. The Amended Central Agreement provides for closer cooperation on planning of future resources, gives Central the ability to "optout" of future generation resources, and provides for cost recovery of all resources completed or under construction as of the amendment effective date, including Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3.

NOTE 10 – COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Budget – The Authority's 2015 three-year capital budget is as follows:

Years Ending December 31,	2015		2016		2017	
			(M	illions)		
Environmental compliance	\$	39.9	\$	8.4	\$	17.8
General improvements		258.2		215.0		182.3
Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 (1)		509.6		574.6		593.0
Total capital budget (2)	\$	807.7	\$	798.0	\$	793.1

Budget Assumptions:

- (1) Construction cash flows for 2014 and the 2015-2017 budgets reflect 45 percent ownership. Subsequent cash flows will be reduced in accordance with the projected ownership sale date. Total estimated project cost including transmission is \$4,514.8 million.
- (2) Will be financed by internally generated funds, taxable and tax-exempt debt.

Purchase Commitments - The Authority has contracted for long-term coal purchases under contracts with estimated outstanding minimum obligations after December 31, 2014. The disclosure of minimum obligations (including market re-opener contracts) shown below is based on the Authority's contract rates and represents management's best estimate of future expenditures under long-term arrangements.

Years Ending December 31,

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		e-openers		e-openers
	(All T	Cons) (1)	(Fixed T	Tons) (2)
		(Thou	sands)	
2015	\$	359,924	\$	359,924
2016		249,592		249,592
2017		162,137		162,137
2018		146,135		146,135
2019		76,418		76,418
Total	\$	994,206	\$	994,206

- (1) Includes tons which the Authority can elect not to receive.
- (2) Includes tons which the Authority must receive.

The Authority has the following outstanding obligations under existing long-term capacity and purchased power contracts as of December 31, 2014:

Contracts with Minimum Fixed Payment Obligations

Number of	Delivery	Remaining	Obligations
Contracts	Beginning	Term	(Millions)
1	1985	20 Years	\$ 52.0
1	2012	1 Year	23.2

Contracts with Power Receipt and Payment Obligations (1)

Number of Contracts	Delivery Remaining Beginning Term		Obligations (Millions)
1	2010	11 Years	\$ 213.9
1	2013	19 Years	18.1
2	2013	29 Years	652.9
1	2013	19 Years	8.2
1	2015	25 Years	433.9

⁽¹⁾ Payment required upon receipt of power. Assumes no change in indices or escalation.

The Authority entered into agreements effective October 1, 2008, whereby New Horizon Electric Cooperative, Inc. assigned its interests, rights and obligations in contracts with Duke Energy Corporation and SCE&G for network integration transmission service to the Authority. The agreements are for network transmission service for the Upstate Load as defined in Note 9 – Contracts with Electric Power Cooperatives. A payment schedule for these agreements shows that \$8.7 million will be due in 2015, with the remaining \$50.5 million through the end of the contract term in 2023. However, a majority of the Upstate Load will transition to a new supplier as stated in Note 9 and the Authority's obligation for transmission service for this load will decrease in approximately the same proportion. At the end of the transition period, the Authority shall no longer be responsible for purchasing transmission service for the load served by the new supplier.

CSX Transportation, Inc. (CSX) provides substantially all rail transportation service for the Authority's Cross and Winyah coal-fired generating stations. The Authority also interchanges with some short line railroads via CSX for the movement of coal as well. The CSX contract, effective January 1, 2011, continues to apply a price per ton of coal moved, along with a mileage based fuel surcharge and minimum tonnage obligation. The Authority's rail contract expires on December 31, 2015 and the process of renegotiating an extended contract with CSX has begun.

The Authority has commitments for nuclear fuel, nuclear fuel conversion, enrichment and fabrication contracts for Summer Nuclear Units 1, 2 and 3. As of December 31, 2014, these contracts total approximately \$443.5 million over the next 23 years.

In 2010, the Authority amended the Rainey Generating Station Long-Term Parts and Long-Term Service Contract with General Electric International, Inc. (GEII). In lieu of exercising its option to terminate the Contract for convenience and to pursue non original equipment manufactured parts and services, the Authority negotiated an amendment with reduced pricing for maintenance and fixed escalation. The contract provides a contract performance manager (CPM), initial spare parts, parts and services for specified planned maintenance outages, remote monitoring and diagnostics of the turbine generators and combustion tuning for the gas turbines.

The amended contract value is approximately \$97.2 million, excluding escalation and adjustments for liquidated damages and bonuses. The contract term extends through the second major inspection for Rainey 1 (expected to be completed in 2018). Rainey 2A and 2B have reached the contract "performance end date." The Authority's estimated remaining commitment on the contract is \$36.6 million, including escalation, and the Authority is currently exploring options for these units, including a potential extension of the GEII contract. The contract can be terminated for convenience at the end of 2015. The Authority's Board has approved recovery of contract expenditures on a straight-line basis over the term of the contract.

Effective November 1, 2000, the Authority contracted with Transcontinental Gas Pipeline Corporation (TRANSCO) to supply gas transportation needs for its Rainey Generating Station. This is a firm service agreement for the transportation of 80,000 decatherms per day.

Risk Management - The Authority is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; business interruption; and errors and omissions. The Authority purchases commercial insurance to cover these risks, subject to coverage limits and various exclusions. Settled claims resulting from these risks did not exceed commercial insurance coverage in 2014. Policies are subject to deductibles ranging from \$500 to \$2.0 million, with the exception of named storm losses which carry deductibles from \$2.0 million up to \$5.0 million. Also a \$1.4 million general liability self-insured layer exists between the Authority's primary and excess liability policies. During 2014, there were minimal payments made for general liability claims.

The Authority is self-insured for auto, dental, worker's compensation and environmental incidents that do not arise out of an insured event. The Authority purchases commercial insurance, subject to coverage limits and various exclusions, to cover automotive exposure in excess of \$2.0 million per incident. Risk exposure for the dental plan is limited by plan provisions. Estimated exposure for worker's compensation is based on an annual actuarial study using loss and exposure information valued as of June 30, 2014. In addition, there have been no third-party claims regarding environmental damages for 2014 or 2013.

Claim expenditures and liabilities are reported when it is probable that a loss has occurred and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. The amount of the self-insurance liabilities for auto, dental, worker's compensation and environmental remediation is based on the best estimate available. Changes in the reported liability were as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014		2013
	(TI	housand	ls)
Unpaid claims and claim expense at beginning of year	\$ 2,538	\$	1,778
Incurred claims and claim adjustment expenses:			
Add: Provision for current year events	2,043		2,940
Less: Payments for current and prior years	3,260		2,180
Total unpaid claims and claim expenses at end of year	\$ 1,321	\$	2,538

The Authority pays insurance premiums to certain other State agencies to cover risks that may occur in normal operations. The insurers promise to pay to, or on behalf of, the insured for covered economic losses sustained during the policy period in accordance with insurance policy and benefit program limits. The State assumes all risks for the following:

- (1) claims of covered employees for health benefits covered through South Carolina Public Employee Benefit Authority (PEBA); not applicable for worker's compensation injuries; and
- (2) claims of covered employees for basic long-term disability and group life insurance benefits (PEBA and Retirement System).

Employees elect health coverage through the State's self-insured plans. However, additional group life and long-term disability premiums are remitted to commercial carriers. The Authority assumes the risk for claims of employees for unemployment compensation benefits and pays claims through the State's self-insured plan.

Nuclear Insurance - The maximum liability for public claims arising from any nuclear incident has been established at \$13.6 billion by the Price-Anderson Indemnification Act. This \$13.6 billion would be covered by nuclear liability insurance of \$375.0 million per reactor unit, with potential retrospective assessments of up to \$127.3 million per licensee for each nuclear incident occurring at any reactor in the United States (payable at a rate not to exceed \$18.9 million per incident, per year). Based on its one-third interest in Summer Nuclear Unit 1, the Authority could be responsible for the maximum assessment of \$42.4 million, not to exceed approximately \$6.3 million per incident, per year. This amount is subject to further increases to reflect the effect of (i) inflation, (ii) the licensing for operation of additional nuclear reactors and (iii) any increase in the amount of commercial liability insurance required to be maintained by the NRC.

Additionally, SCE&G and the Authority maintain, with Nuclear Electric Insurance Limited (NEIL), \$1.5 billion primary and \$1.25 billion excess property and decontamination insurance to cover the costs of cleanup of the facility in the event of an accident. SCE&G and the Authority also maintain accidental outage insurance to cover replacement power costs (within policy limits) associated with an insured property loss. In addition to the premiums paid on these three policies, SCE&G and the Authority could also be assessed a retrospective premium, not to exceed ten times the annual premium of each policy, in the event of property damage to any nuclear generating facility covered by NEIL. Based on current annual premiums and the Authority's one-third interest, the Authority's maximum retrospective premium would be approximately \$6.4 million for the primary policy, \$2.2 million for the excess policy and \$1.6 million for the accidental outage policy.

SCE&G and the Authority maintain builder's risk insurance and marine cargo insurance for the Summer Nuclear Units 2 and 3 construction. The builder's risk policy provides coverage of \$2.75 billion accidental nuclear property damage with a sub-limit of \$500.0 million for accidental property damage that is caused by or results from any covered peril other than radioactive contamination resulting from nuclear reaction, nuclear radiation or the release of radioactive materials, with deductibles ranging from \$250,000 to \$5.0 million. This policy also carries a potential retrospective premium of approximately \$42.0 million. Based on the Authority's current 45 percent ownership interest, the Authority's maximum retrospective premium would be approximately \$18.9 million. The marine cargo/transit policy provides coverage of \$300.0 million, with deductibles ranging from \$25,000 to \$75,000.

The Authority is self-insured for any retrospective premium assessments, claims in excess of stated coverage or cost increases due to the purchase of replacement power associated with an uninsured event. Management does not expect any retrospective assessments, claims in excess of stated coverage or cost increases for any periods through December 31, 2014.

Clean Air Act - The Authority endeavors to ensure that its facilities comply with applicable environmental regulations and standards.

In addition to the existing Clean Air Act (CAA) Federal Acid Rain Program, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has promulgated and is implementing the Cross State Air Pollution Rule (CSAPR) for SO2 and NOx emissions, effective January 1, 2015.

CSAPR was EPA's replacement for the Clean Air Interstate Rule (CAIR). After going through the U.S. Court of Appeals process for the D.C. Circuit over the last several years, CSAPR is now in effect due to several court decisions in 2014. Emission budgets applied beginning January 1, 2015 for the annual programs, and will apply on May 1, 2015 for the ozone-season NOx program. This rule is not expected to negatively impact Santee Cooper.

The Authority has been operating under a settlement agreement, called the Consent Decree, which became effective June 24, 2004. The settlement with EPA and the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) was related to certain environmental issues associated with coal-fired units. It involved the payment of a civil penalty, an agreement to perform certain environmentally beneficial projects and incur capital costs to achieve emission reductions. Capital costs have been partially offset by a reduced need to purchase emission credits. All emissions reduction projects required by the Consent Decree have been completed.

Currently, there are both legislative and regulatory efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. The Authority continues to review proposed greenhouse gas regulations to assess potential impacts to its operations. In 2010, EPA finalized the Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) Tailoring Rule for regulating greenhouse gases through the PSD permitting process under the existing CAA. EPA issued Best Available Control Technology (BACT) Guidance in 2010 for use under the rule effective July 1, 2011. In 2014, EPA proposed three separate rules for (1) new, (2) existing, and (3) modified and reconstructed Electric Generating Units (EGU). Final rules are anticipated to be released midsummer 2015. The Authority will continue to monitor both regulatory and legislative efforts related to greenhouse gas emissions and assess potential impacts to its operations.

In place of the vacated federal Clean Air Mercury Rule (CAMR), South Carolina utilities and DHEC finalized a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) in which the Authority committed to install and certify mercury Continuous Emissions Monitoring Systems (CEMS) at a set of agreed-upon coal-fired units and collaborate with the South Carolina utilities and DHEC to provide support for a state-wide assessment evaluating the mercury deposition resulting from coal-fired power plants in South Carolina. In 2009, the mercury CEMS were installed at the specified Authority units and utilities began initial reporting. There are no cap and trade or emissions limitations requirements per the MOA.

Through the maximum achievable control technology (MACT) regulatory process, the EPA has proposed the Utility MACT regulations to reduce the emissions of mercury and other hazardous air pollutants (HAPs) from coal and oil-fired electric utility steam boilers. As a part of EPA rule development, the Authority participated in the EPA's mandatory Information Collection Request (ICR) for mercury and other HAPs for its coal-fired and oil-fired units. The ICR required facility and fuel information as well as stack testing at Cross, Winyah and Jefferies generating stations.

The proposed MACT rule was released in March 2011 with a public notice comment period. The Authority submitted comments to the proposed rule. The final MACT rule, renamed the Mercury and Air Toxics Standard (MATS) became effective April 16, 2012, with a compliance deadline for existing units of April 16, 2015. Santee Cooper applied for and received a compliance extension for its Cross and Winyah coal-fired EGUs for April 16, 2016 granted by DHEC and in accordance with the regulation.

The MATS rule includes emissions limitations for mercury, acid gases and other HAPs from existing and new coal-fired and oil-fired electric utility steam units. This is EPA's first national standard to reduce mercury and other air toxics from coal-fired and oil-fired power plants.

On November 26, 2014, the US EPA completed the federally mandated 5-year review of the national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS) and proposed a revised (more stringent) ground-level ozone standard range. This applies to both the primary (public health) and secondary (public welfare) standards. The 90-day public comment period began December 17, 2014. By Court Order, the binding Final Rule is due to be promulgated on or before October 1, 2015. According to DHEC information several counties will be at risk of nonattainment with the upper boundary of the proposed range. All counties in South Carolina will be at risk of nonattainment with the lower boundary of the proposed range. The Authority is evaluating the proposed rule and plans to submit comments.

Safe Drinking Water Act - The Authority continues to monitor regulatory issues impacting drinking water systems at the Authority's regional water systems, generating stations, substations and other auxiliary facilities. DHEC has regulatory authority of potable water systems in South Carolina under The State Primary Drinking Water Regulation, R.61-58; the Authority endeavors to manage its potable water systems in compliance with R.61-58.

Clean Water Act - The Clean Water Act (CWA) prohibits the discharge of pollutants, including heat, from point sources into waters of the United States, except as authorized in the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit program. DHEC has been delegated NPDES permitting authority by the EPA and administers the NPDES permit program for the State.

Wastewater discharges from the generating stations and the regional water plants are governed by NPDES permits issued by DHEC. Further, the storm water from the generating stations must be managed in accordance with the State's NPDES Industrial General Permit for storm water discharges. Storm water from construction activities must also be managed under the State's NPDES General Permit for storm water discharges from construction activity. The Authority constantly strives to operate in compliance with these permits.

The CWA, under Section 316(b), requires that cooling water intake structures (CWIS) reflect the best technology available for minimizing adverse environmental impacts, such as the impingement of fish and shellfish on the intake structures and the entrainment of eggs and larvae through cooling water systems. The EPA published the final rule under the CWA Section 316(b) on August 15, 2014, and the rule became effective October 15, 2014. The final rule contains some significant deviations from the proposed rule, such as an outline of seven compliance options and an extended reporting deadline. The Authority will continue to work with the regulatory agencies on implementation.

The EPA has regulations under the CWA relating to Spill Prevention Control and Counter-measures (SPCC). These regulations require that applicable facilities, which include generating stations, substations and auxiliary facilities, maintain SPCC plans to meet certain standards. The Authority continually works to be in compliance with these regulations.

In 2013, EPA issued a proposed rule to amend the Steam Electric effluent guidelines (ELG) and standards that would require additional control and treatment of wastewater discharges from the generating stations. The proposal, if enacted, is expected to require more control of heavy metals removed by air pollution control (ash and FGD sludge) and new internal outfalls that will likely require additional wastewater treatment systems to meet the new limitations. Under the proposed approach, new requirements for existing power plants would be phased in between 2017 and 2022. EPA also announced its intention to align this rule with a related rule for coal combustion residuals (CCRs). On April 19, 2014, EPA and environmental groups agreed to extend the deadline for the final rule until September 30, 2015.

Waters of the U.S. (WOUS). On April 21, 2014, the EPA and United States Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) published for public comment a proposed rule defining the scope of waters protected under the CWA. The proposed rule seeks to clarify which streams, wetlands and other waters are considered WOUS and, thus subject to permitting requirements under the CWA. The joint proposed rule will affect project development and operations across the energy, water, construction, building, agricultural and transportation sectors. The Authority submitted comments to the rule. The Authority cannot fully estimate the potential cost of compliance with the proposed rule.

Hazardous and Non-Hazardous Substances, Wastes and Byproducts - Section 311 of the CWA imposes substantial penalties for spills of Federal EPA-listed hazardous substances into water and for failure to report such spills. The Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA) provides for the reporting requirements to cover the release of hazardous substances into the environment. Additionally, the EPA regulations under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) impose stringent requirements for labeling, handling, storing and disposing of polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) and associated equipment.

Under the CERCLA and Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA), the Authority could be held responsible for damages and remedial action at hazardous waste disposal facilities utilized by it, if such facilities become part of a Superfund effort. Moreover, under SARA, the Authority must comply with a program of emergency planning and a "Community Right-To-Know" program designed to inform the public about more routine chemical hazards present at the facilities. Both programs have stringent enforcement provisions. The Authority endeavors to comply with the applicable provisions of TSCA, CERCLA and SARA, but it is not possible to determine if some liability may be imposed in the future for past waste disposal or compliance with new regulatory requirements. The Authority strives to comply with all aspects of Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) regarding appropriate disposal of chemical wastes.

The Authority generates solid waste associated with the combustion of coal, the vast majority of which is fly ash, bottom ash, scrubber sludge and gypsum. These wastes, known as Coal Combustion Residuals (CCRs), are exempt from hazardous waste regulation under the RCRA. On December 19, 2014, the EPA issued a rule to regulate CCRs as a RCRA Subtitle D, nonhazardous waste. The rule establishes the following national minimum criteria for existing and new CCR landfills and surface impoundments:

- Location restrictions;
- Design and construction requirements;
- Operating criteria such as inspections, structural integrity evaluations and fugitive dust controls;
- Groundwater monitoring and corrective action;
- Closure requirements and post-closure care;
- Record keeping, notifications and internet posting requirements.

No firm estimates relative to the cost of implementing this regulation, have been made at this time since the rule is still under review. However, the Authority has budgeted \$320.0 million through 2019 for compliance purposes.

The Solid Waste Disposal Act and Energy Policy Act give EPA authority to regulate Underground Storage Tanks (USTs). EPA regulations concerning USTs are contained in 40 CFR Parts 280-282. DHEC has granted state program approval in 2002 and regulates USTs under R. 61-92, Part 280 dated 2008. This regulation provides requirements for the design, installation, operation, closure, release detection, reporting and corrective action and financial responsibility. The Authority's corporate policy number 2-11-02 provides guidance for the proper management and monitoring of USTs for environmental and regulatory compliance.

At Cross Generating Station, dry disposal of CCRs into an industrial Class 2 solid waste landfill is governed by a Consent Agreement executed on April 29, 2011 between the Authority and DHEC, which provides for operation of the landfill until December 31, 2015. The Authority has received all necessary permits to construct a Class 3 solid waste landfill at Cross Generating Station and construction is underway. The Authority expects to complete construction and place the landfill into operation prior to December 31, 2015. The Authority will dispose of CCRs into the Class 3 solid waste landfill after that date.

The Authority is in the process of retiring units and ancillary facilities at Grainger and Jefferies generating stations. The Authority plans to properly close ash ponds at these facilities by excavation and beneficial use. A closure plan for the Grainger Generating Station ash ponds has been approved by DHEC and closure through beneficial use is in progress. Development of a similar closure plan for Jefferies ash ponds is in progress. In addition, the Authority is planning to close the Grainger cooling pond in accordance with DHEC requirements.

Pollution Remediation Obligations – The Authority follows GASB 49 which addresses standards for pollution (including contamination) remediation obligations for activities such as site assessments and cleanups. GASB 49 does not include standards for pollution remediation obligations that are addressed elsewhere. Examples of obligations addressed in other standards include pollution prevention and control obligations for remediation activities required upon the retirement of an asset, such as ash pond closure and post-closure care and nuclear power plant decommissioning.

The Authority recorded \$40,000 and \$15,000 for pollution remediation liabilities for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively. The method used to estimate the liabilities consists of weighting a range of possible estimated job cost amounts and calculating a weighted average cost. The weights and estimated costs are developed using professional engineering judgment acquired through years of estimating and completing many pollution remediation projects.

Homeland Security – The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) was established by the Homeland Security Act of 2002, a portion of which relates to anti-terrorism standards at facilities which store or process chemicals. The Authority has been proactive in conducting security assessments at its facilities and will continue to strive to comply with these evolving regulations.

Legal Matters – Except as noted below, there are no actions, suits, or governmental proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of the Authority, threatened before any court, administrative agency, arbitrator or governmental body which would, if determined adversely to the Authority, have a material adverse effect on its financial condition. However, even if determined adversely to the Authority, no such actions, suits, or governmental proceedings would have a material adverse effect on the Authority's ability to transact its business or meet its obligations under the Revenue Obligation Resolution.

Santee River Corps Claim. As of March 2010, the Authority had paid approximately \$221.0 million, including interest, in settlement of a lawsuit brought by a number of landowners located along the Santee River primarily in Williamsburg and Georgetown Counties, South Carolina. The plaintiffs claimed damage to their real estate as a result of flooding that has occurred since the Corps' Cooper River Rediversion Project was completed in 1985. The Authority also paid an additional \$10.4 million in costs and attorneys' fees to the plaintiffs in August, 2011. The Authority pursued an indemnification claim against the Corps before the Armed Services Board of Contract Appeals (ASBCA).

On February 14, 2013, ASBCA ruled that the Authority is entitled to reimbursement from the Corps for approximately \$234.9 million for costs incurred as a result of the Santee River litigation. The award by the ASBCA also includes interest on the indemnification amount pursuant to the Contract Disputes Act, calculated from August 20, 2001, until paid. On June 11, 2013, the Corps appealed the ASBCA decision to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

On May 28, 2014, the United States Department of Justice, acting on behalf of the Corps, entered into a settlement with the Authority. Pursuant to the Settlement Agreement, the United States was required to pay the Authority \$257.1 million plus interest on that amount running from May 1, 2014 (The settlement amount consists of the approximate principal and interest amounts of \$234.9 million and \$22.2 million, respectively). On August 1, 2014 the Authority received payment of approximately \$258.5 million, which fully resolved the claim.

Horry Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Horry Co-op) Suit. In May 2013, Horry Co-op, a member of Central, sued the Authority seeking indemnification for claims in a class action lawsuit brought against Horry Co-op by certain of its customers. The customers allege mold damage to their homes was caused by vapor barriers installed in accordance with the Authority's energy efficiency recommendations. Horry Co-op's complaint alleges the Authority knew the vapor barrier could cause moisture problems but failed to disclose the information to Horry Co-op and failed to advise Horry Co-op that the vapor barrier should be a recommendation rather than a requirement. A settlement has been reached in the underlying class action lawsuit against Horry Co-op. The settlement provides for the establishment of two funds, totaling \$6.0 million dollars, to pay the claims of the class members. The Authority has been informed that as of the deadline for filing claims approximately \$1.4 million dollars in claims and attorney fees have been paid. The Authority filed a motion to dismiss the claims brought against it by Horry Co-op. On June 11, 2014, the Court dismissed the suit, ruling that the majority of the claims were dismissed with prejudice and that the claim for equitable indemnification was dismissed without prejudice. Horry Co-op has appealed the dismissal of the suit. The Authority cannot predict the outcome of the appeal. On October 20, 2014 the Authority was served with an additional complaint filed by Horry Co-op in Horry County. The complaint alleges a single cause of action for indemnity arising out of the same underlying factual allegations as the original complaint filed in May of 2013. The Authority has filed a motion to dismiss the complaint. The Authority cannot predict the outcome of this lawsuit.

NOTE 11 – RETIREMENT PLAN

Substantially all Authority regular employees must participate in one of the components of the South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS), a cost sharing, multiple-employer public employee retirement system, which was established by Section 9-1-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws.

The payroll for active employees covered by SCRS was as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014		2013		2012	
		(Millions)				
Payroll for Active Employees	\$ 131.5	\$	126.9	\$	125.7	

Vested employees (Class Two Members) who retire at age 65 or with 28 years of service at any age are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life. Vested employees (Class Three Members) who retire at age 65 or meet the "rule of 90 requirements" (i.e., the total of the member's age and the member's creditable service equals at least 90 years), are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life. The annual benefit amount is equal to 1.82 percent of their average final compensation times years of service. Benefits fully vest on reaching five years of service for Class Two Members and eight years for Class Three Members. Reduced retirement benefits are payable as early as age 60 with vested service or 55 with 25 years of service for Class Two Members. The SCRS also provides death and disability benefits. Benefits are established by State statute.

Effective January 1, 2001, Section 9-1-2210 of the South Carolina Code of Laws allowed SCRS employees eligible for service retirement to participate in the Teacher and Employee Retention Incentive (TERI) Program. TERI participants may retire and begin accumulating retirement benefits on a deferred basis without terminating employment for up to five years. Upon termination of employment or at the end of the TERI period, whichever is earlier, participants will begin receiving monthly service retirement benefits which include any cost of living adjustments granted during the TERI period. Because participants are considered retired during the TERI period, they do not earn service credit or disability retirement benefits. Effective July 1, 2005, TERI employees began "re-contributing" to the SCRS at the prevailing rate. However, no service credit is earned under the new regulations. The group life insurance of one times annual salary was reestablished for TERI participants.

Effective July 1, 2012, the TERI program closed for Class Two members (members with effective date prior to July 1, 2012) on June 30, 2018, and it is not available to Class Three members (members with effective date on or after July 1, 2012). TERI will be phased out in a 5-4-3-2-1 format. Members who enter the TERI program after July 1, 2013, will not be eligible to participate for the full five years. TERI participation will end on June 30, 2018, regardless of when a member enters the program.

Article X, Section 16 of the South Carolina Constitution requires that all State-operated retirement plans be funded on a sound actuarial basis. Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws (as amended) prescribes requirements relating to membership, benefits and employee/employer contributions.

All employees are required by State statute to contribute to the SCRS at the prevailing rate, currently 8.00 percent. The Authority contributed 10.75 percent of the total payroll for SCRS retirement. For 2014, the Authority also contributed an additional 0.15 percent of total payroll for group life. The contribution requirements for the prior three years were as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014		2013	2012
		(Milli	ions)	
From the Authority	\$ 13.9	\$	13.3	\$ 12.5
From Employees	10.2		9.2	8.5

The Authority made 100 percent of the required contributions for each of the three years.

The SCRS issues a stand-alone financial report that includes all required supplementary information. The report may be obtained by writing to: South Carolina Retirement System, P.O. Box 11960, Columbia, S.C. 29211.

Effective July 1, 2002, new employees have a choice of the type of retirement plan in which to enroll. The State Optional Retirement Plan (State ORP) which is a defined contribution plan is an alternative to the SCRS retirement plan which is a defined benefit plan. The contribution amounts are the same, (8.00 percent employee cost and 10.75 percent employer cost); however, 5.00 percent of the employer amount is directed to the vendor chosen by the employee and the remaining 5.75 percent is contributed to the Retirement System. As of December 31, 2014, the Authority had 42 employees participating in the State ORP and consequently the related payments are not material.

The Authority also provides retirement benefits to certain employees designated by management and the Board under supplemental executive retirement plans (SERP). Benefits are established and may be amended by management and the Authority's Board and includes retirement benefit payments for a specified number of years and death benefits. The cost of these benefits is actuarially determined annually. Beginning in 2006, these plans were segregated into internal and external funds. The qualified benefits are funded externally with the annual cost set aside in a trust administered by a third party. The pre-2006 retiree benefits and the non-qualified benefits are funded internally with the annual cost set aside and managed by the Authority. A summary of the Authority's SERP activity is as follows:

Years Ended December 31,	2014			2013	
		(Mil	lions)		
Total cost	\$	1.3	\$		1.1
Accrued liability	\$	5.2	\$		5.3

Summer Nuclear Retirement - The Authority and SCE&G are parties to a joint ownership agreement at the Summer Nuclear Station. As such, the Authority is responsible for funding its share of pension requirements for the nuclear station personnel. Any earnings generated from the established pension plan are shared proportionately and used to reduce the allocated funding.

As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Authority had over-funded its share of requirements by \$766,000 and \$910,000, respectively. This receivable however, is offset by a regulatory liability as required by FASB ASC 715. The balances were approximately \$18.6 million and \$15.0 million for the unfunded portion of pension benefits at December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Additional information may be obtained by reference to the SCANA Corporation Annual Report on Form 10K as filed with the Securities Exchange Commission as of December 31, 2014.

NOTE 12 - OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)

Vacation / **Sick Leave** — Full-time employees earn 10 days of vacation leave for service under five years and 15 days of vacation leave for service under 11 years. Employees earn an additional day of vacation leave for each year of service over 10 until they reach the maximum of 25 days per year. Employees earn two hours per pay period, plus 20 additional hours at year-end for sick leave.

Employees may accumulate up to 45 days of vacation leave and 180 days of sick leave. Upon termination, the Authority pays employees for unused vacation leave at the pay rate then in effect. In addition, the Authority pays employees upon retirement 20 percent of their sick leave at the pay rate then in effect.

Plan Description - The Authority participates in an agent multiple-employer defined benefit healthcare plan whereby PEBA provides certain health, dental and life insurance benefits for eligible retired employees of the Authority. The retirement benefits available are defined by PEBA and substantially all of the Authority's employees may become eligible for these benefits if they retire at any age with a minimum of 10 years of earned service or at age 60 with at least 20 years of service. Currently, approximately 792 retirees meet these requirements.

For employees hired May 2, 2008 or thereafter, the number of years of earned service necessary to qualify for funded retiree insurance is 15 years for a one-half contribution, and 25 years for a full contribution. PEBA may be contacted at: Retirement Benefits, PO Box 11660, Columbia, S.C. 29211-1960.

Funding Policy - Prior to 2010, the Authority used the unfunded pay-as-you-go option (or cash disbursement) method pursuant to GASB 45 to record the net OPEB obligations. During 2010, the Authority elected to adopt an advanced or pre-funding policy and established an irrevocable trust with Synovus Trust Company. This method of funding will eventually result in lower contributions over time compared to the prior pay-as-you-go funding policy.

Annual OPEB Cost - The Authority's annual OPEB cost is calculated based on the annual required contribution (ARC) of the employer, an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that is projected (if paid on an on-going basis) to recognize the normal cost each year and to amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed 30 years. The Authority's contribution towards ARC is equal to the actual disbursements during the year for health care benefits for retired employees plus annual funding amounts for the trust. The Authority's annual OPEB cost (expense) was as follows:

Year Ended December 31,	201	2013		
		(Thousan	ds)	
Annual required contribution	\$	12,038	\$	11,687
Interest on OPEB obligation		538		513
Adjustment to ARC		(464)		(442)
Annual OPEB cost		12,112		11,758
Net estimated employer contributions		(11,691)		(11,302)
Increase in net OPEB obligation	\$	421	\$	456
Net OPEB obligation - beginning of year	\$	9,781	\$	9,325
Net OPEB obligation - end of year	\$	10,202	\$	9,781

The Authority's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the plan, and the net OPEB obligation for fiscal year ending December 31, 2014 and the preceding two fiscal years were as follows:

	Aı	nnual		ployer nount	Net	OPEB	Percentage
		EB Cost		ntributed Obligation		Contributed	
Years Ended December 31,		(Thousands)					(%)
2012	\$	10,261	\$	12,795	\$	9,325	124.7
2013		11,758		11,302		9,781	96.1
2014		12,112		11,691		10,202	96.5

Funded Status and Funding Progress - The funded status of the Authority's retiree health care plan under GASB 45 as of December 31, 2012, the latest actuarial study date, is as follows:

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ial Value sets (a)	Accrue	uarial d Liability L) (b)	C	nnual overed yroll (c)	 led AAL (b) - (a)	Funded Ratio (a / b)	Ratios of UAAL to Annual Covered Payroll (b-a)/(c)
		(Thous:	ands)				(%)
\$ 27,829	\$	170,040	\$	113,683	\$ 142,211	16.4	125.1

Note: As of December 31, 2014, the OPEB trust had assets of \$39.4 million.

The required schedule of funding progress presented as required supplementary information provided multi-year trend information that shows whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions - The Projected Unit Credit actuarial cost method is used to calculate the GASB ARC for the Authority's retiree health care plan. Using the plan benefits, the present health premiums and a set of actuarial assumptions, the anticipated future payments are projected. The projected unit credit method then provides for a systematic recognition of the cost of these anticipated payments. The yearly ARC is computed to cover the cost of benefits being earned by covered members, as well as to amortize a portion of the unfunded accrued liability.

Actuarial valuations involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events in the future. Amounts determined regarding the funded status and the annual required contributions of the Authority's retiree health care plan are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Projections of health benefits are based on the plan as understood by the Authority and include the types of benefits in force at the valuation date and the pattern of sharing benefit costs between the Authority and its employees to that point. Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective and employ methods and assumptions that are designed to reduce short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets. Significant methods and assumptions were as follows:

Actuarial	Methods	and Assumptions
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Inflation rate	3.00% per annum		
Investment rate of return	5.50% net of expenses		
Actuarial cost method	Projected Unit Credit Cost Method		
Amortization method	Level as a percentage of employee payroll		
Amortization period	30 year, open amortization		
Payroll growth	3.00% per annum		
Medical trend:			
Initial	7.00%		
Ultimate	4.50% after 10 years		
Drug trend:			
Initial	7.25%		
Ultimate	4.50% after 10 years		

Summer Nuclear OPEB - The Authority is responsible for funding its share of OPEB costs for nuclear station employees. The Authority's liability balances as of December 31, 2014 and 2013 were approximately \$10.5 million and \$10.1 million, respectively.

In accordance with FASB ASC 715, the Authority recorded a regulatory liability of approximately \$4.6 million and \$2.6 million for the unfunded portion of OPEB costs at December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Additional information may be obtained by reference to the SCANA Corporation Annual Report on Form 10K as filed with the Securities Exchange Commission as of December 31, 2014.

NOTE 13 - CREDIT RISK AND MAJOR CUSTOMERS

In 2014, the Authority had one customer that accounted for more than 10 percent of the Authority's sales:

Customer:		2014 201		2013
	(Millions)			
Central	\$	1,118	\$	1,038

The Authority maintains an allowance for uncollectible accounts based upon the expected collectability of all accounts receivable. The allowance at each year ended December 31, 2014 and 2013 was \$1.6 million and \$1.3 million, respectively.

NOTE 14 - STORM DAMAGE

In February 2014, the Authority's system sustained damages from Winter Storm Pax (Pax). As a result, several counties in South Carolina were designated as a federal disaster area. The damage sustained by the Authority in these counties was mainly to the Authority's transmission and distribution systems.

As of December 31, 2014, all the restoration and repair work had been completed and/or accrued to capital cost or maintenance expense. The Authority received disaster relief assistance from federal sources on all eligible costs from the storm as of the close of 2014. The damages to the distribution system resulted in capital restoration costs of \$1.9 million and federal reimbursement of \$1.3 million. Damages to the transmission system resulted in maintenance expense and capital costs of approximately \$761,000 and \$632,000, respectively. The Authority received federal reimbursement of approximately \$832,000.

The Authority does not expect to increase rates due to the impact of Pax and foresees no measurable long-term impact on its operations or the demand for electricity by its customers.

NOTE 15 - SUBSEQUENT EVENT(S)

We have evaluated subsequent events through February 19, 2015 in conjunction with the preparation of these financial statements which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. As of this date, the Authority has no subsequent events to report.

SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE REVENUE OBLIGATION RESOLUTION

The following statements are summaries of certain provisions of the Revenue Obligation Resolution. Except as otherwise provided in this Official Statement, terms used under this caption which are defined in the Revenue Obligation Resolution, including, but not limited to those defined hereinafter, are used herein as so defined. Certain other provisions of the Revenue Obligation Resolution are summarized under the caption "SECURITY FOR THE 2015M1 BONDS."

Definitions of Certain Terms Used in Revenue Obligation Resolution

The following words and phrases are defined in the Revenue Obligation Resolution as hereinafter set forth.

"Capital Costs" shall mean the Authority's costs of (i) physical construction of or acquisition of real or personal property or interests therein for any project, together with incidental costs (including legal, administrative, engineering, consulting and technical services, insurance and financing costs), working capital and reserves deemed necessary or desirable by the Authority (including but not limited to costs of supplies, fuel, fuel assemblies and components or interests therein), and other costs properly attributable thereto; (ii) all capital improvements or additions, including but not limited to, renewals or replacements of or repairs, additions, improvements, modifications or betterments to or for any project; (iii) the acquisition of any other property (tangible or intangible), capital improvements or additions, or interests therein, deemed necessary or desirable by the Authority for the conduct of its business; (iv) any other purpose for which bonds, notes or other obligations of the Authority may be issued under the Enabling Act or under other applicable State statutory provisions (whether or not also classifiable as an operating expense); and (v) the payment of principal, interest, and redemption, tender or purchase price of (a) any Obligations, Commercial Paper or other indebtedness issued by the Authority for the payment of any of the costs specified above, including capitalized interest on such indebtedness, or (b) any indebtedness issued by the Authority to refund any indebtedness described in the preceding clause (a).

"Government Obligations" shall mean direct obligations of, or obligations the principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America.

"Investment Securities" shall mean any of the following which at the time are legal investments under the laws of the State of South Carolina for the moneys held hereunder then proposed to be invested therein: (1) Government Obligations; (2) certificates which evidence ownership of the rights to payment of the principal of or interest on Government Obligations; (3) bonds, debentures, notes or participation certificates issued by the Bank for Cooperatives, the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank, the Federal Home Loan Bank System, the Export-Import Bank of the United States, Federal Land Bank, the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Tennessee Valley Authority, or any other agency or corporation which is or may hereafter be created by or pursuant to an Act of Congress of the United States as an agency or instrumentality thereof; (4) obligations of state and local government municipal bond issuers, provision for the payment of the principal of and interest on which shall have been made by deposit with a trustee or escrow agent of non-callable obligations described in (1), (2), or (3) of this subparagraph, the maturing principal of and interest on which when due and payable, shall provide sufficient funds to pay the principal of and interest on such obligations of state and local government municipal bond issuers (5) Public Housing Bonds, or Project Notes, fully secured by contracts with the United States; (6) repurchase agreements with banks that are members of the federal reserve system or with government bond dealers recognized as primary dealers by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York that are secured by securities described in (1) and (3) above having a current market value at least equal to one hundred two per cent (102%) of the amount of the repurchase agreement; (7) obligations of the State of South Carolina, (8) obligations of other states and investment contracts which obligations or investment contracts are rated at the time of purchase by each rating agency then maintaining a rating on the Obligations at the request of the Authority (each, a "Rating Agency") in one of the three highest rating categories (as determined without regard to any refinement or graduation of such rating by a numerical modifier or otherwise, a "Rating Category") of such Rating Agency; (9) deposits in interest bearing deposits or certificates of deposit or similar arrangements issued by any bank or national banking association (including the Trustee), which deposits, to the extent not insured by the Federal

Deposit Insurance Corporation, shall be secured by Government Obligations or obligations described in clauses (2), (3), (4) or (7) of this paragraph, having a current market value (exclusive of accrued interest) at least equal to one hundred five percent (105%) of the amount of such deposits, which Government Obligations or obligations described in clauses (2), (3), (4) or (7) of this paragraph shall have been deposited in trust by such bank or national association with the trust department of the Trustee or with a federal reserve bank or branch or, with the written approval of the Authority and the Trustee, with another bank, trust company or national banking association for the benefit of the Authority and the appropriate fund or account as collateral security for such deposits; (10) corporate securities, including commercial paper and fixed income obligations, which are, at the time of purchase, rated by a Rating Agency in one of its three highest Rating Categories for comparable types of obligations; and (11) such other investments from time to time allowed under applicable law.

"Obligations" shall mean any obligations, issued in any form of debt, authorized by a supplemental resolution, including but not limited to bonds, notes, bond anticipation notes, and Qualified Swaps, which are delivered under the Revenue Obligation Resolution.

"Operation and Maintenance Expenses" shall mean the Authority's expenses of operating the System, including, but not limited to, all costs of purchased power, operation, maintenance, generation, production, transmission, distribution, repairs, replacements, engineering, transportation, administration and general, audit, legal, financial, pension, retirement, health, hospitalization, insurance, taxes and any other expenses actually paid or accrued, of the Authority applicable to the System, as recorded on its books pursuant to generally accepted accounting principles, subject to the limitations with respect to take or pay contracts as set forth under "Take or Pay Contracts." Operation and Maintenance Expenses shall not include (1) any costs or expenses for new construction, (2) charges for depreciation, (3) voluntary payments in lieu of taxes or (4) any taxes or tax payments now or hereafter required to be made to the State or any political subdivisions only out of surplus revenues, for example, payments required by Code Sections 58-31-90, 58-31-100 (2) and (3), and 58-31-110, Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976.

"Permitted Investments" shall mean the obligations referred to in (1), (2), (3) and (4) of the definition of the term "Investment Securities".

"Qualified Swap" shall mean, to the extent from time to time permitted by law, with respect to Obligations, any financial arrangement (i) which is entered into by the Authority with an entity that is a Qualified Swap Provider at the time the arrangement is entered into, (ii) which is a cap, floor or collar; forward rate; future rate; swap (such swap may be based on an amount equal either to the principal amount of such Obligations of the Authority as may be designated or a notional principal amount relating to all or a portion of the principal amount of such Obligations); asset, index, price or market-linked transaction or agreement; other exchange or rate protection transaction agreement; other similar transaction (however designated); or any combination thereof; or any option with respect thereto, executed by the Authority for the purpose of moderating interest rate fluctuations or otherwise, and (iii) which has been designated in writing to the Trustee by the Authority as a Qualified Swap with respect to such Obligations.

"Qualified Swap Provider" shall mean an entity whose senior long term obligations, other senior unsecured long term obligations or claims paying ability, or whose payment obligations under an interest rate exchange agreement are guaranteed by an entity whose senior long term debt obligations, other senior unsecured long term obligations or claims paying ability, are rated either (i) at least as high as the third highest Rating Category of each Rating Agency, but in no event lower than any Rating Category designated by each such Rating Agency for the Obligations subject to such Qualified Swap, or (ii) any such lower rating categories which each such Rating Agency indicates in writing to the Authority and the Trustee will not, by itself, result in a reduction or withdrawal of its rating on the Outstanding Obligations subject to such Qualified Swap that is in effect prior to entering into such Qualified Swap.

"Revenues" shall mean all the revenues, income, profits, tolls, rents, charges and returns of the Authority derived from its ownership or operation of the System, including the proceeds of any insurance covering business interruption loss relating to the System, but excluding other insurance proceeds and customer deposits.

System

The Authority's System, as defined in the Revenue Obligation Resolution, consists generally of (a) facilities for the purpose of acquiring, controlling, storing, preserving, treating, distributing and selling water for (i) navigation, power, irrigation, reclamation, or sale to residential, commercial, agricultural or industrial customers or other governmental entities; and (b) plants, works, structures, facilities and equipment for the generation, manufacture, transmission or distribution of water power and electric power and energy, and of any other forms of power and energy when authorized by the Enabling Act. The System shall not include separate projects established by the Authority for any corporate purpose of the Authority other than those projects and purposes described hereinabove, nor separate systems described under "Separate Systems."

Revenue Fund

The Revenue Obligation Resolution continues, for so long as any of the Revenue Obligations are Outstanding, the Revenue Fund. The Revenue Fund shall be held in trust and administered by the Authority. The Authority covenants and agrees in the Revenue Obligation Resolution to pay into the Revenue Fund, as promptly as practical after the receipt thereof, all Revenues.

Funds and Accounts

For the purpose of providing for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Revenue Obligations, the Revenue Obligation Resolution creates a Revenue Obligation Fund. Payments into the Revenue Obligation Fund shall be made prior to the payments required to be made from, or retained in, the Revenue Fund to cover the cost of operation and maintenance of the System and the payments required to be made into the Capital Improvement Fund.

Order of Payments From Revenue Fund

Under the Revenue Obligation Resolution, moneys shall be disbursed by the Authority from the Revenue Fund in the following order:

- 1. Revenue Obligation Fund: To pay when due to the Trustee the Revenue Obligation Fund Payments.
 - 2. Operating and Maintenance: To pay expense of operation and maintenance.
- 3. *Capital Improvement Fund*: To pay during each Fiscal Year into the Capital Improvement Fund amounts at least equal to the Minimum Capital Improvement Requirement.

Any moneys remaining in the Revenue Fund each month after making the payments referenced above may be used by the Authority for any corporate purpose of the Authority.

Certain Moneys Not Required to be Deposited in Revenue Fund

The Revenue Obligation Resolution does not require the deposit into the Revenue Fund of any of the revenues, income, receipts, profits or other moneys of the Authority derived by the Authority through the ownership or operation of any separate system described under the section "Separate System" or through the ownership or operation of any separate project referred to under the section "System".

Authorization of Revenue Obligations

At any time one or more series of Revenue Obligations may be issued pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution, upon the terms set forth in a Series Resolution, for any corporate purpose of the Authority, including the refunding or purchase of Revenue Obligations, provided there is no default under the Revenue Obligation Resolution.

Separate Systems

The System shall not include (i) any facilities for the purpose of providing water for sale to residential, commercial, agricultural or industrial customers or other governmental entities, or (ii) any facilities for the generation of any form of power and energy, or for the transmission and distribution of any form of power and energy, and any incidental properties constructed, acquired or leased in connection therewith, constructed or acquired by the Authority as a separate system, and if constructed or acquired with the proceeds of sale of bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, which bonds or other evidences of indebtedness are payable solely from the revenues or other income derived from the ownership or operation of such separate utility system, and may be further secured by a pledge of Revenues junior and subordinate to the pledge securing the Revenue Obligations and payable therefrom, but only after the revenues and other income derived from the ownership or operation of such separate utility system and pledged to the payment of such bonds or other indebtedness are so applied in accordance with the proceedings providing for the issuance of such bonds or other indebtedness.

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Nothing in the Revenue Obligation Resolution shall prevent the Authority from issuing bonds, notes, bond anticipation notes, warrants, certificates or other obligations or evidences of indebtedness the payment of which shall be made from the proceeds of Revenue Obligations or other indebtedness of the Authority or from Revenues, and if payable from Revenues shall be made junior and subordinate to the payment of the Revenue Obligations. The Authority may create special funds to provide for the payment of such obligations, payments to which shall be made after payments to the Revenue Obligation Fund.

Insurance

The Revenue Obligation Resolution requires the Authority to insure such of its various properties as are usually insured by utilities owning like properties in similar amounts and coverages, with insurance companies, and to carry liability insurance in reasonable amounts.

Sale, Lease or Other Disposition of Properties

Subject to the next sentence, the Authority may sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of any part of its properties on such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by its Board of Directors. The Authority shall not take any action described in the preceding sentence unless, in the judgment of the Authority's Board of Directors, such action is desirable in the conduct of the Authority's business and does not materially impair the Authority's ability to comply with the rate covenant provisions of the Revenue Obligation Resolution.

Take or Pay Contracts

The Revenue Obligation Resolution does not prohibit the Authority from entering into take or pay contracts, including take or pay contracts with a separate system described under section "Separate Systems," to purchase power under conditions whereby payments the Authority is required to make may be calculated, in whole or in part, on the basis of power which the Authority does not purchase, require or obtain for whatever reasons. However, payments made by the Authority under such a take or pay contract for power not available for any reason other than an emergency or forced outage lasting not more than one year or normal and regularly scheduled maintenance outage may not be treated as Operation and Maintenance Expenses.

Capital Improvement Fund

The Revenue Obligation Resolution requires the deposit annually into the Capital Improvement Fund of an amount at least equal to the Minimum Capital Improvement Requirement defined as follows: an amount, which, together with the amounts deposited in the Capital Improvement Fund in the two immediately preceding Fiscal Years, will be at least equal to 8% of the revenues required by the Revenue Obligation Resolution to be paid into the Revenue Fund in the three immediately preceding Fiscal Years. Certain payments not made into the Capital Improvement Fund may be considered as a payment towards fulfillment of the Minimum Capital Improvement Requirement.

The moneys on deposit in the Capital Improvement Fund shall be used solely to pay Capital Costs.

Events of Default and Remedies Under the Revenue Obligation Resolution

A happening of one or more of the following constitutes an Event of Default under the Revenue Obligation Resolution:

- (a) default in the due and punctual payment of any interest on any Revenue Obligation which shall continue for a period of 30 days; or
- (b) default in the due and punctual payment of the principal of any Revenue Obligation, whether at the stated maturity thereof, at the mandatory redemption date, at the redemption date or upon declaration; or
- (c) the Authority shall violate or fail to perform any of its covenants or agreements contained in the Revenue Obligation Resolution for 90 days after written notice of default is given to it by the Bond Fund Trustee or by the holder of any Revenue Obligation; or
- (d) a default shall have occurred in respect of any bond, debenture, note or other evidence of indebtedness of the Authority, or in respect of any obligations of the Authority under any financing lease, whether now outstanding or existing or issued or otherwise undertaken hereafter, or under any indenture, resolution, lease or other agreement or instrument under which any such bond, debenture, note or other evidence of indebtedness or any such lease obligation has been or may be issued or by which any of the foregoing is or may be governed or evidenced, which default shall have resulted in the principal amount of such bond, debenture, note or other evidence of indebtedness or lease obligation becoming due and payable prior to its stated maturity or which default shall have been a default in the payment of principal when due and payable; or
- (e) a decree or order by a court having jurisdiction in the premises shall have been entered judging the Authority as bankrupt or insolvent, or approving as properly filed a petition seeking reorganization or arrangement of the Authority under the Federal bankruptcy laws or any similar applicable Federal or South Carolina law, and such decree or order shall have continued undischarged or unstayed for a period of forty (40) days; or a decree or order of a court having jurisdiction in the premises for the appointment of a receiver or liquidator or trustee or assignee in bankruptcy or insolvency of the Authority or any of its property, or for the winding-up or liquidation of the Authority or any of its property, shall have been undischarged and unstayed for a period of sixty (60) days; or
- (f) the Authority shall institute proceedings to be adjudicated a voluntary bankrupt, or shall consent to the filing of a bankruptcy proceeding against it, or shall file a petition or answer or consent seeking reorganization or arrangement under the Federal bankruptcy laws or any similar applicable Federal or South Carolina law, or shall consent to the filing of any such petition, or shall consent to the appointment of a receiver or liquidator or trustee or assignee in bankruptcy or insolvency of the Authority or of any of its property, or shall make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, or shall admit in writing its insolvency or inability to pay its debts generally as they become due, or any action shall be taken by the Authority in furtherance of any of the foregoing aforesaid purposes.

If an Event of Default has occurred, and shall not have been remedied, the Trustee or the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the Revenue Obligations then outstanding may declare the principal of all Revenue Obligations and the interest accrued thereon to be immediately due and payable, but such declaration may be rescinded under certain circumstances.

After the occurrence of an Event of Default and prior to the curing of such Event of Default, the Trustee may, to the extent permitted by law, take possession and control of the System and operate and maintain the same,

prescribe rates for capacity or power sold or supplied through the facilities of the System, collect the gross revenues resulting from such operation and perform all of the agreements and covenants contained in any contract which the Authority is then obligated to perform. In such event, such gross revenues shall be applied, first to the payment of the reasonable expenses and liabilities of the Trustee and thereafter to the payment of operating expenses and principal of and interest on the Revenue Obligations. After all sums then due in respect of the Revenue Obligations have been paid, and after all Events of Default have been cured or secured, to the satisfaction of the Trustee, the Trustee is required to relinquish possession and control of the System to the Authority. At any such time the Trustee shall be entitled to the appointment of a receiver of the business and property of the System, of the moneys, securities and funds of the Authority pledged under the Revenue Obligation Resolution, and of the Revenues, and of the income therefrom, with all such powers as the court or courts making such appointment shall confer.

The Revenue Obligation Resolution empowers the Trustee to file proofs of claims for the benefit of the holders of the Revenue Obligations in bankruptcy, insolvency, or reorganization proceedings and to institute suit for the collection of sums due and unpaid in connection with the Revenue Obligations, to enforce specific performance of covenants contained in the Revenue Obligation Resolution or to obtain injunctive or other appropriate relief for the protection of the holders of the Revenue Obligations.

No holder of Revenue Obligations has any right to institute suit to enforce any provision of the Revenue Obligation Resolution or the execution of any trust thereunder (except to enforce the payment of principal or interest installments as they mature), unless the Trustee has been requested by the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the Revenue Obligations then outstanding to exercise the powers granted it by the Revenue Obligation Resolution or to institute such suit and unless the Trustee has refused or failed, within 60 days after the receipt of such request and after having been offered adequate security and indemnity, to comply with such request. In the event the Trustee has failed or refused to comply with the aforesaid request, the Revenue Obligation Resolution provides for the creation of an "Owners Committee."

Modifications of the Revenue Obligation Resolution

Modifications of the Revenue Obligation Resolution and of the rights and duties of the Authority and the holders of Revenue Obligations may be made with the consent of the Authority and written consent of the holders of not less than a majority of the Revenue Obligations at the time outstanding; provided that no modification shall be made which will (i) extend the fixed maturity date for the payment of any Revenue Obligation, or reduce the principal amount of or interest rate on any such Revenue Obligation or extend the time of payment of interest thereon or reduce any premium payable upon the prepayment or redemption thereof, or advance the date upon which any Revenue Obligation may first be called for redemption; or (ii) reduce the percentage of Revenue Obligations the holders of which are required to consent to any amendment to the Revenue Obligation Resolution; or (iii) give any Revenue Obligation or Revenue Obligations any preference over any other Revenue Obligation or Revenue Obligations or reduce the payments required to be made to the Revenue Obligation Fund, without the consent of the holders of all the Revenue Obligations affected thereby.

Defeasance

The obligations of the Authority under the Revenue Obligation Resolution shall be fully discharged and satisfied as to any Revenue Obligation and such Revenue Obligation shall no longer be deemed to be outstanding thereunder when payment of the principal of and the applicable redemption premium, if any, on such Revenue Obligation plus interest to the due date thereof (a) shall have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms thereof, or (b) shall have been provided by irrevocably depositing with the Trustee therefor in trust irrevocably appropriated and set aside exclusively for such payment (i) moneys sufficient to make such payments or (ii) Permitted Investments, maturing as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times as will insure the availability of sufficient moneys to make such payment, and, except for the purposes of such payment, such Revenue Obligation shall no longer be secured by or entitled to the benefits of the Revenue Obligation Resolution; provided that, with respect to Revenue Obligations to be redeemed or otherwise prepaid prior to the stated maturities thereof, notice of such redemption or prepayment shall have been given or irrevocable provision shall have been made for the giving of such notice.



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Re: \$36,136,600 South Carolina Public Service Authority Revenue Obligations, 2015 Series M1

We have acted as bond counsel and have examined a certified copy of the Transcript of Proceedings and other proofs submitted to us, including the Constitution and Statutes of the State of South Carolina, in relation to the issuance by South Carolina Public Service Authority (the "Authority") of the Authority's \$36,136,600 Revenue Obligations, 2015 Series M1 (the "2015 M1 Bonds") consisting of \$28,879,000 Current Interest Bearing Bonds and \$7,257,600 original principal amount of Capital Appreciation Bonds.

The 2015 M1 Bonds recite that they are issued for valid corporate purposes of the Authority under the authority of and in full compliance with the Constitution and Statutes of the State of South Carolina, including Title 58, Chapter 31, Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended, and proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Authority duly adopted, including a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Authority on April 26, 1999 (as supplemented and amended from time to time, the "Revenue Obligation Resolution"). All capitalized terms used herein and not defined shall have the meaning ascribed to such terms in the Revenue Obligation Resolution.

As to questions of fact material to our opinion, we have relied upon representations of the Authority contained in the Revenue Obligation Resolution and in the certified Transcript of Proceedings and other certifications of public officials and others furnished to us, without undertaking to verify the same by independent investigation.

Based upon the foregoing, we are of the opinion, under existing statutes, regulations and court decisions, as follows:

1. The 2015 M1 Bonds have been authorized and issued in accordance with the Constitution and statutes of the State of South Carolina and constitute valid and legally binding special obligations of the Authority payable solely from and secured by a lien upon and pledge of the Revenue Fund and the revenues of the Authority's System and



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other monies paid into the Revenue Fund (collectively, the "Revenues"), all as set forth and provided in the Revenue Obligation Resolution, on a parity with bonds heretofore and hereafter issued by the Authority pursuant to the Revenue Obligation Resolution on a parity with the 2015 M1 Bonds.

- 2. Interest on the 2015 M1 Bonds is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes and is not an item of tax preference for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on individuals and corporations; it should be noted, however, that for the purpose of computing the alternative minimum tax imposed on certain corporations (as defined for federal income tax purposes), such interest is taken into account in determining adjusted current earnings. The opinion set forth in the preceding sentence is subject to the condition that the Authority comply with all requirements of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the 2015 M1 Bonds in order that interest thereon be (or continue to be) excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Failure to comply with certain of such requirements may cause interest on the 2015 M1 Bonds to be included in gross income for federal income tax purposes retroactive to the date of issuance of the 2015 M1 Bonds. We express no opinion regarding other federal tax consequences arising with respect to the 2015 M1 Bonds.
- 3. The 2015 M1 Bonds and the interest thereon are exempt from all state, county, school district, municipal, and all other taxes or assessments of the State of South Carolina, except inheritance, estate, transfer or certain franchise taxes.

We express no opinion regarding the accuracy, completeness, or sufficiency of any offering material relating to the 2015 M1 Bonds. Furthermore, we express no opinion regarding federal tax consequences arising with respect to the 2015 M1 Bonds, other than as expressly set forth herein.

It is to be understood that the rights of the owners of the 2015 M1 Bonds and the enforceability of the 2015 M1 Bonds may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally and by equitable principles, whether considered at law or in equity.

Very truly yours,