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Ms. Amy Cappellino
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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Strom Thurmond Federal Building
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**RE: Joint Federal and State Application - Recertification
Stakeholder-Developed Modified Removal Action (MRA)
DESC Congaree River Project
Columbia, South Carolina
SAC-2011-01356**

Dear Ms. Cappellino:

In support of the Dominion Energy South Carolina (DESC) Congaree River Project, enclosed is a recertified Joint Federal and State Application Form for Activities Affecting Waters of the United States associated with implementation of the Stakeholder-Developed Modified Removal Action (SD-MRA).

As you are aware, the SD-MRA was previously authorized by the USACE in correspondence dated December 10, 2021 (SAC-2011-01356) in accordance with the Nationwide Permit (NWP) 38 – with that NWP verification valid until March 18, 2022. Reissuance and Modification of Nationwide Permits was recently posted in in the Federal Register and are scheduled to go into effect on February 25, 2022. The NWP-38 was reissued as proposed, with no changes and will expire on March 14, 2026.

Therefore, DESC is recertifying the original application submitted for this project and requesting verification under the reissued NWP-38. In summary:

- Attachments to the original application and subsequent submittals remain valid and unchanged;
- The scope of the previously approved project remains unchanged;
- No construction field work has been initiated on this project; and
- DESC remains committed to fulfilling all other requirements of the previous NWP-38 verification.

We appreciate your assistance during the preparation of this recertification. If you have any questions during your review, please contact Paul Biery of DESC at 803-217-5016.

Sincerely,


Thomas N. Effinger, P.E.
Director, Environmental Services

Enclosures

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