

AMENDED NOTICE OF FILING AND PUBLIC HEARING AND NOTICE OF COLLETON COUNTY PUBLIC NIGHT HEARING

Joint Application of South Carolina Public Service Authority (Santee Cooper) and Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity for the Construction and Operation of an Advanced Class Combined Cycle Generating Plant and Associated Facilities in Colleton County, South Carolina, Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-10 et seq. - **Docket No. 2025-323-E**

Why is this Notice Important?

- South Carolina Public Service Authority (“Santee Cooper”) and Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. (“DESC,” and together with Santee Cooper, “Joint Applicants”) filed a Joint Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity (“Certificate”) to jointly construct and operate an energy infrastructure project (as defined by S.C. Code Ann. § 58-37-100(6)) consisting of an advanced class combined cycle (“CC”) generating plant (the “Canadys Joint Resource” or “Canadys Station”) with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (“Commission”).

What is the Joint Applicants’ Project in this case?

Project	Construction of an Advanced Class Combined Cycle Generating Plant and Associated Facilities
Affected County	Colleton County
Total Plant Capacity	2,180 megawatts
Project Location	Brownfield Site located at DESC’s former coal-fired Canadys Steam Plant in Colleton County and is approximately forty miles northwest of Charleston, SC (“Site”)
Estimated Project Costs	\$5 billion for the generation facilities \$96 million for the Edisto River Switchyard
Target Date for Commercial Operation	Mid - 2033

- The Joint Applicants propose to construct and operate three independent, multi-shaft, advanced class 1x1 CC generating blocks at the Site. Each 1x1 CC generating block will consist of one combustion turbine-generator (“CTG”) paired with a corresponding heat recovery steam generator (“HRSG”) and steam turbine-generator (“STG”).
- DESC requests that the Commission issue an Order authorizing DESC to lease fifty percent (50%) interest in the Site to Santee Cooper.

Why are the Joint Applicants asking the Commission to issue a Certificate in this case?

- On September 16, 2025, Santee Cooper filed its 2025 Integrated Resource Plan (“IRP”) Update, and it selected the Canadys Joint Resource as an integral component to meet current load growth and reliability requirements.
- On January 30, 2023, DESC filed its 2023 IRP; contemplated the retirement of its coal-fired Arthur M. Williams Station by December 31, 2030; and selected a natural gas combined cycle (“NGCC”) in all build plans. On March 31, 2025, DESC filed its 2025 IRP Update and modeled a 50% share in a shared NGCC resource as a generation asset.
- S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-31-205(A) states, in part, “The Public Service Authority shall have the power to jointly own, as tenants-in-common or through a limited liability company, with Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc., one or more natural gas-fired generation facilities, and related transmission facilities, to be constructed on a site at or near Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc.’s former Canadys coal-fired generation station in Colleton County,”

COLLETON COUNTY PUBLIC HEARING INFORMATION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina has scheduled an **in-person** public night hearing in Colleton County regarding the Application. If you are interested in providing testimony and/or attending the public hearing in Colleton County, the hearing will **begin at 6:00 PM**:

Date of Hearing:	Hearing Type:	Location:
Monday, March 23, 2026 At 6:00 PM	In-Person	Walterboro Wildlife Center 100 S. Jefferies Blvd. – PLEASE USE BACK ENTRANCE Walterboro, South Carolina 29488

The Commission will call the names of those persons who pre-register to testify first.

Customers who wish to testify in this hearing may pre-register in one of three ways:



- Email communications@psc.sc.gov with their name, telephone number, and physical address;
- Complete the survey at this link: <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/019bdbabf63b7a4ab534288e09db5841> ; or
- Call 803-896-1972 and leave a message with their name, telephone number, and physical address.
- Please pre-register by **4 p.m. on Tuesday, March 17, 2026**.

The Commission will call the names of those persons who pre-register to testify first.

The Colleton County public hearing has been scheduled according to Order No. 2026-27 and S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-817.

The case was filed according to S.C. Code Ann. Sections 58-33-10 *et seq.*, 58-37-100, *et seq.*, S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-304 and S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-825 and 103-823 and other applicable rules and regulations of the Commission; and this hearing has been scheduled according to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-33-130, S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-817, and Commission Order No. 2026-27.

For the entire Case visit: <https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/119564>

When Will the Commission Hear the Joint Applicant's Case?

A public hearing in this case begins **on Thursday, March 12, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.** with only attorneys present for procedural issues and no witnesses, and **reconvening on Tuesday, April 14, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.** to receive evidence and hear from witnesses, and continuing, if necessary, on **Wednesday, April 15, 2026**, at the call of the Chair at the Public Service Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Hearing Room, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

Livestream: <https://www.scetv.org/live/public-service-commission>

How Can I Participate in this Case?

A stakeholder may participate in the case by the ways listed below.

Option A: File a Letter of Protest by emailing the completed Letter of Protest to contact@psc.sc.gov; or mailing the completed Letter of Protest to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, SC 29210. More information is available here:

<https://psc.sc.gov/consumer-info/file-letter-protest>

Option B: File a Petition to Intervene. An Intervenor becomes a party in the case. Intervenors have the right to testify, cross-examine witnesses, seek reconsideration of the Commission's Final Decision, and must follow the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. To intervene, you must:

- Email a Petition to Intervene to contact@psc.sc.gov no later than **Tuesday, February 3, 2026**; or
- Mail a Petition to Intervene to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, SC 29210 no later than **Tuesday, February 3, 2026**. Please include your email address.

**You must give a copy of your Petition to Intervene to all Parties in this case. Petitions to Intervene must meet the requirements of Commission Regulation 103-825 and must be approved by the Commission.

In the above referenced case, if the proposed tariffs contain any request for a change of rates, the proposed rates may be changed by the Commission.

Persons seeking further information about these procedures should contact the Commission at **803-896-5100** or visit its website at www.psc.sc.gov.

January 21, 2026
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