



S.C. Department of Health and
Environmental Control

**Bureau of Air Quality
State Operating Permit
Department Decision**

**Westinghouse Electric Company LLC
Nuclear Fuel EH&S
5801 Bluff Road
Hopkins, South Carolina 29061**

In accordance with the 1976 Code of Laws of South Carolina, as amended, including SC Code Section 44-1-60(D), a Department Decision has been made to issue Permit No. OP-1900-0050 v2.0 to the above-named permittee. This permit was previously placed on public notice and open for public comment from September 12, 2019, through October 11, 2019, and again from May 5, 2023, through June 18, 2023. A public meeting was held by SC DHEC on September 26, 2019. A public meeting and hearing were held by SC DHEC on June 6, 2023, to receive oral and written comments on the proposed project. Adverse public comments were received by SC DHEC during the comment period. Comments received during the formal comment period regarding air quality issues have been addressed in SC DHEC's *Responses to Comments on Air Quality* document. SC DHEC's decision to issue this permit has been made after consideration and a complete review of the following: the air permit application, applicable state and federal air quality regulations, comments and concerns made at the public hearing and all other comments received within the required time frame, the public hearing transcript, and all other pertinent information.

This Department Decision includes the following: a) the issued permit which meets the requirements of all applicable air quality regulations; b) a summary of the project, permit, and applicable regulations as outlined in the Statement of Basis; and c) a summary of the comments made by concerned citizens regarding air quality issues and responses by the Bureau of Air Quality, as outlined in the *Responses to Comments on Air Quality*. This Department Decision will be included in SC DHEC's administrative record for this permit decision.

Permit Number: OP-1900-0050 v2.0
Agency Air Number: 1900-0050
Issue Date: September 15, 2023

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