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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Kuczynski S	Address of Repo Stephen E	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SOUTHERN CO [SO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD., NW			(Month/Day/Year) 07/11/2013	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Pres. & CEO, Southern Nuclear			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ATLANTA, GA 30308			Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Per Form filed by More than One Reperson				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
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(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Southern Company Common Stock	07/11/2013		Code V M	Amount 6,519	,	Price \$ 44.96	10,795	D	
Southern Company Common Stock	07/11/2013		F	2,110	D	\$ 44.96	8,685	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Southern Co Restricted Stock Units (1) (2)	\$ 0	07/11/2013		M	6,519	(3)	(3)	Southern Company Common Stock	6,519	ç

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kuczynski Stephen E 30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD., NW ATLANTA, GA 30308

Pres. & CEO, Southern Nuclear

Signatures

/s/ Patricia L. Roberts, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact for Stephen E. Kuczynski

07/12/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Vesting of Restricted Stock Units granted on July 11, 2011
- (2) Includes the right to have shares withheld upon vesting to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
- (3) RSUs were awarded July 11, 2011 and vested July 11, 2013

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