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(Print or Type Respo	onses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> HAGEN VERONICA M			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) 30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2014			X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
ATLANTA, GA	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				l	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tah	le I - Non.	.Derix	ative	Securities /	Acquired, Disposed	of or Beneficia	ally Owned
	ansaction Date hth/Day/Year)	2A. Deema Execution any (Month/Da	ed Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. S onAcq Disj	ecuriti juired posed	es (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect
				Code V	Am	ount	or (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Reminder: Report or	n a separate line	e for each cl	ass of sec	urities ben	eficial	ly owr	ed 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or		

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	Derivative Security				Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, a) 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	01/02/2014	А		488.6594		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Southern Company Common Stock	488.6594

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationsh			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
HAGEN VERONICA M 30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD. ATLANTA, GA 30308	Х				
Signatures					
/s/Patricia L. Roberts, Attorney Hagen	01.	/02/2014			

**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) Acquired pursuant to Southern's Deferred Compensation Plan, payable in stock only upon termination. There is no exercise or expiration date.

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