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Printed Name and Title William Marsan - Partner P

Registrant Name: Troutman Sanders LLP

Client Name: The Southern Company

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code ENG (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues

Issues: **FERC policy on regional transmission organizations, standard market design, reliability, and affiliate transactions.**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Fitzgerald, Kevin C.	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature  Date 8/5/2004

Printed Name and Title **William Marsan - Partner**

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