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ATTENTION OF:

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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October 22, 2013

EXTENSION OF COMMENT PERIOD
JOINT PUBLIC NOTICE NO. SAM-2013-01053-SBC

The Mobile District is extending the comment period for SAM-2013-01053-SBC for an additional 16 days beyond the original time period, which ended on October 13, 2013, in order to allow federal agencies affected by the recent government shutdown to respond to the notice. **The comment period will now extend until October 29, 2013. All comments should be provided by this date.**

APPLICANT: Alabama Power Company

PROPOSED WORK: The applicant proposes to construct approximately 17.3 miles of 230kV electrical transmission line along a 125-foot cleared right-of-way. The project would permanently fill approximately 5.17 acres of medium and high quality forested wetlands and impact approximately 200 linear feet of streambeds via installation of corrugated steel culverts secured with riprap rock for stream crossings. Proposed wetland and stream impacts would result from the construction of permanent 18-foot-wide stone access roads and the installation of stone foundation pads of varying sizes to support transmission line structures and provide for turnaround areas for timber trucks during the clearing phase of operations.

LOCATION: Escambia County, Alabama

Correspondence concerning this proposed project should refer to Public Notice Number **SAM-2013-01053-SBC** and should be directed to the District Engineer, U.S. Army Engineer District, Mobile, Attention: Regulatory Division, South Alabama Branch, Post Office Box 2288, Mobile, Alabama 36628-0001, with a copy to the Alabama Department of Environmental Management, Office of Field Services, Field Operations Division, Post Office Box 301463 Montgomery, Alabama 36130-1463.

If you have any questions concerning this publication, you may contact the project manager, **Mr. S. Brad Crosson** at **(251) 694-3664** or via e-mail at **steven.b.crosson@usace.army.mil**. Please refer to the above public notice number.

For additional information about this Public Notice and the proposed work, please visit our web site at www.sam.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory.aspx.

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