## ALABAMA POWER COMPANY

Birmingham 2, Alabama

May 19, 1955

Mr. James L. Ray
Assistant County Engineer
Shelby County
Columbiana, Alabama

Dear Mr. Ray:

## RE: Lay Dam-Bessemer Transmission Line

As you know, we have received your letter of April 14, 1955 requesting authority to construct the Dargin-Dogwood road across our 100 foot wide transmission line right of way in the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 5, Township 22 South, Range 2 West. We have made investigations of the point of crossing and find that the crossing will afford no interference with our power line, and we, therefore, have no objection to the road construction work being carried out as planned.

It has not been the custom of this company, however, to execute permits for road crossings over our rights of way if there is no interference with our lines; but we do appreciate the cooperation of the state and county highway departments in always conferring with us relative to such crossings before construction is started. This does enable us, should any changes in our line be necessary, to make proper arrangements for such changes.

If you find that you must have something more than this letter as your authority to proceed with construction of the road, I will appreciate your letting me know immediately so that we may begin the long process required for the grant of a formal easement.

Yours very truly,

J. G. Hitchcock

Manager, Land Department

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STATE OF ALABAMA, SHELBY COUNTY

I, L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within least and recorded in least a colock Mand recorded in least a colock Mand recorded Tax of has been paid.

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