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Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940											
(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Specker Steven R.			Symbol	r Name an JERN CO		r Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	SOUTHERN C					(Chec			ek all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD. NW			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2014				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
		(7:)					Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	e Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	i	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)	ıl	
Reminder: Re	eport on a separate line	e for each cla	ss of seci	urities bene	ficially ow	ned directly	or indirectly.				
					Perso infor requi	ons who re nation con red to resp ays a curre	spond to the colle tained in this form ond unless the fo ntly valid OMB co	n are not orm	SEC 1474 (9-02)		

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	08/01/2014	А		229.3578		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Southern Company Common Stock	229.3578

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
Reporting of their runte / runtess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Specker Steven R. 30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD. NW ATLANTA, GA 30308	Х			
Signatures				
/s/ Patricia L. Roberts, Attorney-in-F	08/01/2014			

Specker

**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).
- Acquired pursuant to Southern's Deferred Compensation Plan, payable in stock only upon termination. There is no exercise or expiration (1) date.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.