

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

April 8, 2019

Michael Smith President and CEO Oglethorpe Power Corporation 2100 East Exchange Place Tucker, Georgia 30084-5336

> Re: Oglethorpe Power Corporation Registration Statement on Form S-4 File No. 333-230665 Filed April 1, 2019

Dear Mr. Smith:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Charlie Guidry, Staff Attorney, at 202-551-3621 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Consumer Products