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Stanley W. (Stan) Connally Jr. is executive vice president of operations at Southern Company – one of the largest producers of energy in the United States – and chairman, president and chief executive officer of Southern Company Services (SCS).

Connally oversees Southern Company's systemwide operations, based in Birmingham, Alabama. This includes generation; transmission operations and policy; engineering, construction and technical shared services; commercial operations; supply chain management; system planning; environmental affairs and sustainability. He is also responsible for Southern Wholesale Energy and the company's Southern Linc and Southern Telecom telecommunications businesses.

Prior to his current role, Connally served as chairman, president and CEO of Gulf Power from 2012 through 2018. In that role, he was responsible for the integrated electric operations of the former Southern Company subsidiary serving nearly 450,000 customers across northwest Florida, including external and regulatory activities and the company's financial results. Earlier in his career, he served as senior vice president and senior production officer for Georgia Power, where he was responsible for fossil and hydroelectric generation. Connally's earlier experience across the company ranges from customer operations, sales and marketing to power plant leadership, serving across all of Southern Company's regulated electric subsidiaries in Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi.

He has served on the boards of a number of community and economic development organizations that support children and families and help communities grow. He was vice chair of Enterprise Florida, the state's public-private partnership for economic development, served on the Florida Chamber of Commerce board as chair of the policy council, and sat on the Florida Council of 100 board.

Connally served on the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI) board of directors from 2017 to 2024, including as chairman. He is the lead independent director of Capital City Bank Group's board and serves on its audit committee. Connally currently serves on the Georgia Tech Advisory Board, which provides strategic vision and counsel for the institute's president and senior leadership.

Connally earned a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from the Georgia Institute of Technology. He has completed the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and National Academy for Nuclear Training's Reactor Technology Course for Utility Executives. He also has completed the Goizueta Executive Education Program at Emory University.

A native of Newnan, Georgia, Connally and his wife, Amy, have two sons – Cade and Court.