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Docket No. 50-287
Steam Generator Inservice Inspection
Steam Generator Tube Plugging and Repair 30-day Report

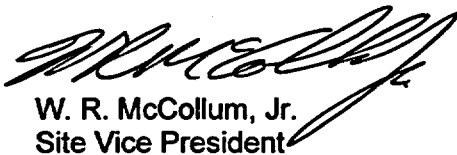
As required by Technical Specification 5.6.8, a, this letter provides the number of tubes plugged or repaired during the Steam Generator (SG) Tube Inservice Inspection for the Unit 3 Cycle 18 refueling outage. One hundred percent of the Unit 3 SG Tubes were inspected with a bobbin coil eddy current probe.

The tables below identify the number of SG tubes removed from service by plugging. There were no tubes repaired by sleeving or rerolling in either SG.

<u>Steam Generator</u>	<u>Number of Tubes Plugged</u>
A	146
B	92

If there are any questions you may contact R. C. Douglas at (864) 885-3073.

Very Truly Yours,


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