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**FPL**

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Document Control Desk  
Washington D. C. 20555-0001

Re: Turkey Point Units 3 and 4  
Docket Nos. 50-250 and 50-251  
Proposed License Amendments  
Soluble Boron Credit for Spent Fuel Pool and Fresh Fuel Rack Criticality Analyses  
Statement of Commitments

By letter L-99-176, dated November 30, 1999, Florida Power and Light (FPL) submitted the proposed license amendments request "Soluble Boron Credit for Spent Fuel Pool and Fresh Fuel Rack Criticality Analyses." Subsequently, a commitment was made in the FPL letter L-2000-109 dated May 15, 2000, to perform the next fuel storage rack surveillance by Spring 2001.

As stated in FPL letter L-2000-109, FPL intends to verify the design bases of the referenced license amendment and in the remote event that the surveillance demonstrates that the results are outside of the design bases the appropriate actions would be taken as required under Federal Regulations. Furthermore, FPL intends to evaluate the measured results as part of the surveillance program and determine if a change in surveillance frequency is necessary.

In response to a telecon request from the NRC staff, FPL is herein committed to revise an administrative procedure requiring the next fuel storage rack surveillance to be performed by May 2001. This procedure will require that within 120 days of completing the surveillance, FPL will provide the following information to the staff: the results of the surveillance, a summary of the method used to project Boraflex degradation, and for each Spent Fuel Pool Region, the approximate projected date that the degradation of any Boraflex panel will exceed the assumed degradation values. This surveillance and the associated reporting requirements will be tracked by FPL as commitments.

FPL has determined that the additional information provided herein does not change the conclusions reached in the original no significant hazards consideration determination provided in FPL letter L-99-176. In accordance with 10 CFR 50.91 (b) (1), a copy of this letter is being forwarded to the State Designee for the State of Florida.

Should there be any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

R. J. Hovey  
Vice President  
Turkey Point Plant

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cc: Regional Administrator, Region II, USNRC  
Senior Resident Inspector, USNRC, Turkey Point  
Florida Department of Health

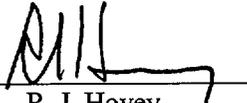
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STATE OF FLORIDA )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE )

R. J. Hovey being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he is Vice President, Turkey Point Plant, of Florida Power and Light Company, the Licensee herein;

That he has executed the foregoing document; that the statements made in this document are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, and that he is authorized to execute the document on behalf of said Licensee.

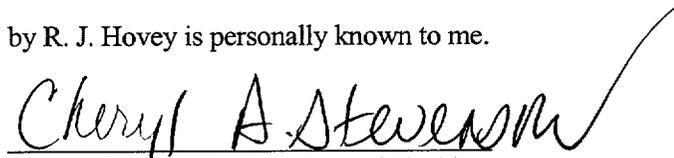
  
R. J. Hovey

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

5<sup>th</sup> day of JULY, 2000,

by R. J. Hovey is personally known to me.

  
Name of Notary Public - State of Florida

**CHERYL A. STEVENSON**  
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