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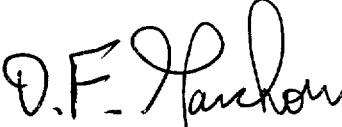
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Gentlemen:

**MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT
SALEM GENERATING STATION UNIT 2
DOCKET NO. 50-311**

In compliance with Section 6.9, Reporting Requirements for the Salem Unit 2 Technical Specifications, the operating statistics for **March 2001** are being forwarded.

Sincerely,


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Vice President - Operations

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Reporting Period March 2001

OPERATING DATA REPORT

Design Electrical Rating (MWe-Net)
Maximum Dependable Capacity (MWe-Net)

No. of hours reactor was critical
No. of hours generator was on line (service hours)
Unit reserve shutdown hours
Net Electrical Energy (MWH)

1067		
1031		
Month	Year-to-date	Cumulative
744	2160	106137
744	2160	102762
0	0	0
818917	2356164	103660102

UNIT SHUTDOWNS

NO.	DATE	TYPE F=FORCED S=SCHEDULED	DURATION (HOURS)	REASON (1)	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN THE REACTOR (2)	CORRECTIVE ACTION/ COMMENT

(1) Reason

- A - Equipment Failure (Explain)
- B - Maintenance or Test
- C - Refueling
- D - Regulatory Restriction
- E - Operator Training/License Examination
- F - Administrative
- G - Operational Error (Explain)
- H - Other

(2) Method

- 1 - Manual
- 2 - Manual Trip/Scram
- 3 - Automatic Trip/Scram
- 4 - Continuation
- 5 - Other (Explain)

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Summary Of Monthly Operating Experience

- Salem 2 entered the month at approximately 100% power.
- Salem 2 started the month at 100% power. On March 25, power was reduced to approximately 45% for scheduled Control Valve Testing. The unit was returned to 100% power later on March 25 and remained there the remainder of the month.
- At the end of March, Salem 2 completed 134 days of continuous on-line operation.