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**Significant Change in
Facility Administration**

Dear Sir/Madam:

Re: University of Florida Training Reactor
Facility License R-56, Docket No. 50-83

As required by our Technical Specifications, Section 6.6.3, Paragraph (1), we are reporting a significant change in our facility organization at Level 1 and Level 2, the levels responsible for the University of Florida Training Reactor (UFTR) facility's licenses, charter, and site administration.

Dr. M. Jack Ohanian, who had been serving as interim dean in the College of Engineering (Level 1) for the past two years and as chairman of the Reactor Safety Review Subcommittee (Level 2 interaction) for many years, retired effective July 1, 2001. Also effective July 1, 2001, Professor James S. Tulenko stepped down as chairman of the Nuclear and Radiological Engineering Department (Level 1).

Dr. Pramod P. Khargonekar was appointed dean of the College of Engineering (COE) effective July 1, 2001. Also effective July 1, 2001, Dr. Ali Haghighat was appointed chairman of the Nuclear and Radiological Engineering Department (NRE). Dr. Khargonekar, as COE dean, assumes responsibility for Level 1 administration of the UFTR along with Dr. Haghighat, as NRE chairman, below him and the President of the University of Florida above him.

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Dr. W. Emmett Bolch, Professor, Environmental Engineering Sciences, having served as a member/alternate chairman of the Reactor Safety Review Subcommittee (RSRS), was appointed chairman of the RSRS effective July 1, 2001 and concurrently appointed a member of the University Radiation Control Committee (URCC). Dr. Bolch assumes administrative responsibilities at Level 2 (RSRS) and will also interact at Level 1 (URCC) of the facility organization.

If further information is needed, please advise.

Sincerely,

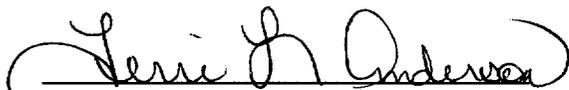


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Sworn and subscribed this 13 day of July 2001.



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