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Attention: C. E. Carpenter

Subject: PROJECT NO. 704 – BWRVIP Response to NRC Safety Evaluation of BWRVIP-75

Reference: 1. Letter from Jack R. Strosnider (NRC) to Carl Terry (BWRVIP Chairman), “Safety Evaluation of the BWRVIP Vessel and Internals Project, BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Technical Basis for Revisions to Generic Letter 88-01 Inspection Schedules (BWRVIP-75), EPRI Report TR-113932, October 1999 (TAC NO. MA5012),” dated September 15, 2000.  
2. Letter from Carl Terry (BWRVIP Chairman) to NRC Document Control Desk, “Project. 704 – BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Technical Basis for Revisions to Generic Letter 88-01 Inspection Schedules (BWRVIP-75), EPRI Report TR-113932, October 1999,” dated October 27, 1999.

Enclosed are ten (10) copies of the BWRVIP response to the issues identified in the NRC Safety Evaluation of the BWRVIP report “BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Technical Basis for Revisions to Generic Letter 88-01 Inspection Schedules (BWRVIP-75)” that was transmitted by the Reference 1 letter identified above.

The enclosed document contains proprietary information. Therefore, the request to withhold the BWRVIP-75 report from public disclosure transmitted to the NRC by the Reference 2 letter identified above also applies to the enclosed document.

If you have any questions on this subject, please contact Robin Dyle of Southern Nuclear (BWRVIP Assessment Committee Technical Chairman) by telephone at 205.992.5885.

Sincerely,



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