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Docket Nos. 50-250  
and 50-251

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Dear Mr. Williams:

Reference: TAC Nos. 56378 and 56379

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF MEETING HELD ON DECEMBER 10, 1984, TO DISCUSS  
SCHEDULAR EXEMPTION REQUEST FROM 10 CFR 50.48

By letter dated November 16, 1984, Florida Power and Light Company (FPL) requested schedular relief from the requirements of 10 CFR 50.48 C(2), C(3) and C(4) relating to implementing the fire protection requirements of Appendix R to 10 CFR 50.48. The submittal identified six areas where schedular exemptions are necessary, cause of the delays, compensatory measures and proposed schedules.

The NRC staff indicated a meeting would be necessary to discuss additional basis and justification for 1) the delays in relation to all ongoing safety related activities, 2) details on compensatory measures and 3), details on the status of the Appendix R activities and the specific fire areas where the exemptions are needed.

FPL indicated the primary reason for the request is to limit the number of craft personnel on site during outage and non-outage related activities to assure reliability and safety of operations. In addition, the initial effort of vendor qualification and procurement of parts and materials has resulted in unanticipated delays in the engineering design and scheduling of Appendix R activities.

The NRC staff indicated that schedular delays require additional temporary fire protection measures such as temporary fire barriers, wrapping, suppression systems, continuous fire watch, and interim shutdown procedures. The acceptable measures could be a combination of the above depending on the status of the existing work effort, specific plant characteristics and time period of the requested exemptions. FPL indicated that they propose to initiate continuous fire watches in specific areas in addition to scheduled fire watch patrols to cover all applicable areas. The supplemental submittal will provide details of the compensatory measures including a description of the interim fire watch duties and training. The interim measures will provide 24 hour coverage for the time period necessary to complete the fire protection related work in the affected fire zones.

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FPL will provide additional details relating to specific fire zones in response to the NRC staff's needs which were discussed in detail.

The NRC staff indicate, based on the initial submittal and details discussed at the meeting, that FPL has provided sound rational for the need of the scheduler exemption, a best effort is being expended to complete the Appendix R requirements and the proposed interim measures should provide assurance for continued safe operation of the plant. The NRC staff will continue their review when the details discussed at the meeting are provided in the supplemental submittal and provide the results of the review effort on a timely basis. A list of attendees is enclosed.


The reporting and/or recordkeeping requirements of this letter affect fewer than ten respondents; therefore, OMB clearance is not required under P.L. 96-511.

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