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August 11, 1999

See Amend to License

SUBJECT: CRYSTAL RIVER UNIT 3 - ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT REGARDING
 ADDITION OF A SAFETY-RELATED DIESEL-DRIVEN EMERGENCY
 FEEDWATER PUMP (TAC NO. MA3613)

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A copy of the related Safety Evaluation is also enclosed. The Notice of Issuance will be included in the Commission's biweekly Federal Register notice.

Sincerely,
Original signed by:
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Docket No. 50-302

Enclosures: 1. Amendment No. 182 to DPR-72
 2. Safety Evaluation

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