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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

SUBJECT: Revision to Steam Generator Tubesheet Inspection Information
Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3
Docket No. 50-382
License No. NPF-38

REFERENCES:

1. Nuclear Energy Institute letter to the NRC dated February 4, 2003, *Steam Generator Tubesheet Inspection Information*
2. Entergy letter W3F1-2003-0016 dated March 27, 2003, *Steam Generator Tubesheet Inspection Information*

Dear Sir or Madam:

As described in reference 1, the Nuclear Energy Institute coordinated the industry response to NRC staff questions regarding steam generator tube inspections within the tubesheet. The Entergy Operations, Inc. (Entergy) response for Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3 (Waterford 3) was provided in reference 2. In the attachment to reference 2, Entergy indicated that it planned to inspect +2"/-5" tubesheet hot (TSH) during the Fall 2003 Waterford 3 refueling outage. After further consideration, Entergy now plans to inspect +2"/-7" from the expansion transition TSH during the Fall 2003 Waterford 3 refueling outage.

This letter contains no new commitments. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact D. Bryan Miller at 504-739-6692.

Sincerely,

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