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Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2
Dockets 50-266 and 50-301
License Nos. DPR-24 and DPR-27
Monthly Operating Report

In accordance with Technical Specification 5.6.3, Enclosure 1 contains the Monthly Operating Report for March 2004 for the Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2.

This letter contains no new commitments and no revisions to existing commitments.

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Enclosures

cc: Administrator, Region III, USNRC
Project Manager, Point Beach Nuclear Plant, USNRC
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ENCLOSURE 1

MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT

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OPERATING DATA REPORT

DOCKET NO. 50-266
UNIT NAME POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT - UNIT 1
DATE 04/02/04
COMPLETED BY Kim M. Locke
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REPORTING PERIOD March - 2004

1. DESIGN ELECTRICAL RATING (MWE-NET) 522.0
2. MAXIMUM DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (MWE-NET) 516.0

	<u>MONTH</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE</u>
3. NUMBER OF HOURS REACTOR WAS CRITICAL	744.0	2,184.0	242,329.9
4. NUMBER OF HOURS THE GENERATOR WAS ON LINE	744.0	2,184.0	238,780.7
5. UNIT RESERVED SHUTDOWN HOURS	0.0	0.0	846.9
6. NET ELECTRICAL ENERGY (MWH)	374,893.5	1,109,868.5	111,004,180.5

DATA REPORTED AND FACTORS CALCULATED AS REQUESTED IN NRC GENERIC LETTER 97-02 DATED MAY 15, 1997

UNIT SHUTDOWNS

DOCKET NO. 50-266
 UNIT NAME POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT - UNIT 1
 DATE 04/02/2004
 COMPLETED BY Kim M. Locke
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REPORTING PERIOD: March 2004
 (Month/Year)

NO.	DATE	TYPE		DURATION (HOURS)	REASON (1)	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN (2)	CAUSE/CORRECTIVE ACTIONS
		F: FORCED	S: SCHEDULED				COMMENTS
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(1) Reason

- A. Equipment Failure (Explain)
- B. Maintenance or Test
- C. Refueling
- D. Regulatory Restriction
- E. Operator Training/license Examination
- F. Administrative
- G. Operational Error (Explain)
- H. Other (Explain)

(2) Method

- 1. Manual
- 2. Manual Trip/Scram
- 3. Automatic Trip/Scram
- 4. Continuation
- 5. Other (Explain)

SUMMARY:

Unit 1 average daily power for the month of March was 503.9 MWe.
 There were no significant events for Unit 1 in the month of March.
 There were no LERs for Unit 1 in the month of March.

OPERATING DATA REPORT

DOCKET NO. 50-301
UNIT NAME POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT - UNIT 2
DATE 04/02/04
COMPLETED BY Kim M. Locke
TELEPHONE 920-755-6420

REPORTING PERIOD March - 2004

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| 1. DESIGN ELECTRICAL RATING (MWE-NET) | 522.0 |
| 2. MAXIMUM DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (MWE-NET) | 518.0 |

	<u>MONTH</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE</u>
3. NUMBER OF HOURS REACTOR WAS CRITICAL	744.0	2,184.0	235,531.7
4. NUMBER OF HOURS THE GENERATOR WAS ON LINE	744.0	2,184.0	232,420.8
5. UNIT RESERVED SHUTDOWN HOURS	0.0	0.0	302.2
6. NET ELECTRICAL ENERGY (MWH)	385,905.5	1,134,279.5	109,635,361.0

DATA REPORTED AND FACTORS CALCULATED AS REQUESTED IN NRC GENERIC LETTER 97-02 DATED MAY 15, 1997

UNIT SHUTDOWNS

DOCKET NO. 50-301
 UNIT NAME POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT - UNIT 2
 DATE 04/02/2004
 COMPLETED BY Kim M. Locke
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REPORTING PERIOD: March 2004
 (Month/Year)

NO.	DATE	TYPE F: FORCED S: SCHEDULED	DURATION (HOURS)	REASON (1)	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN (2)	CAUSE/CORRECTIVE ACTIONS COMMENTS
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(1) Reason

- A. Equipment Failure (Explain)
- B. Maintenance or Test
- C. Refueling
- D. Regulatory Restriction
- E. Operator Training/license Examination
- F. Administrative
- G. Operational Error (Explain)
- H. Other (Explain)

(2) Method

- 1. Manual
- 2. Manual Trip/Scram
- 3. Automatic Trip/Scram
- 4. Continuation
- 5. Other (Explain)

SUMMARY:

Unit 2 average daily power for the month of March was 518.7 MWe.
 On 03/30/2004, U2 "A" SI Accumulator was declared inoperable and TS required shutdown was initiated. The Accumulator was subsequently restored to operable and the unit was stabilized at 82% power. U2 was then returned to full power.
 There were no LERs for Unit 2 in the month of March.