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**SUBJECT: REACTOR AND SENIOR REACTOR OPERATOR INITIAL EXAMINATIONS
TURKEY POINT NUCLEAR PLANT - 05000250/2005301 AND
05000251/2005301**

Dear Mr. Stall:

In a telephone conversation on October 25, 2004, between Mr. Greg Laughlin, Operations Training Manager, and Mr. Edwin Lea, Senior Operations Engineer, arrangements were made for the administration of licensing examinations at Turkey Point Nuclear Plant during the weeks of February 21 and 28, 2005. The on-site preparatory week is scheduled for the week of February 7, 2005.

As agreed during the telephone conversation, the NRC will prepare the examinations based on the guidelines in Revision 9, of NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors." Your staff will be given the opportunity to review the examinations during the week of January 24, 2004.

I would like to thank members of your staff for supplying us with some of the reference materials, identified in Attachment 2 of ES-201, in advance. However, to meet the above schedule, the remaining reference materials identified in Attachment 2 of ES-201, must be furnished by November 15, 2004. Mr. Russell is aware of the remaining reference materials that is required per the attachment. Any delay in receiving the required reference materials, or the submittal of inadequate or incomplete materials, may cause the examinations to be rescheduled. If any additional material is required, we will contact the appropriate members of your staff.

In order to conduct the requested written examinations and operating tests, it will be necessary for your staff to provide adequate space and accommodations in accordance with ES-402, and to make the simulation facility available on the dates noted above. In accordance with ES-302, your staff should retain the original simulator performance data (e.g., system pressures, temperatures, and levels) generated during the dynamic operating tests until the examination results are final.

Appendix E of NUREG-1021 contains a number of NRC policies and guidelines that will be in effect while the written examinations and operating tests are being administered.

To permit timely NRC review and evaluation, your staff should submit preliminary reactor operator and senior reactor operator license applications (Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval number 3150-0090), medical certifications (OMB approval number 3150-0024),

and waiver requests (if any)(OMB approval number 3150-0090) at least 30 days before the first examination date. If the applications are not received at least 30 days before the examination date, a postponement may be necessary. Signed applications certifying that all training has been completed should be submitted at least 14 days before the first examination date.

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Mr. Laughlin has been advised of the policies and guidelines referenced in this letter. If you have any questions regarding the NRC's examination procedures and guidelines, please contact Edwin Lea at (404) 562-4567, or myself at (404) 562-4647.

Sincerely,

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