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SUBJECT: PUBLIC MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT - CATEGORY ONE MEETING -
REGULATORY PERFORMANCE MEETING - SURRY POWER STATION,
DOCKET NOS. 50-280 AND 50-281

Dear Mr. Christian:

This letter confirms the conversation between Mr. Barry Garber of your staff and Mr. Norman Garrett of the NRC staff on March 3, 2005, concerning an Regulatory Performance Meeting (Category One public meeting) requested by us which is scheduled for March 30, 2005, at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will be at the Surry Nuclear Information Center (SNIC) which is located at 5470 Hog Island Road, Surry, VA. The purpose of this meeting is to arrive at a shared understanding of the performance issues, underlying causes, and your corrective actions associated with a degraded Mitigating Systems Cornerstone. Surry Units 1 and 2 were in the degraded cornerstone during the first three quarters and the first quarter of calendar year 2004, respectively. Results of a supplemental inspection, conducted in December 2004, for the degraded cornerstone are contained in NRC Inspection Reports 05000280/2004011 and 05000281/2004011. The meeting notice is enclosed.

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Should you have any questions concerning this meeting, please contact me at (404) 562-4510.

Sincerely,

/RA/

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SUBJECT: REGULATORY PERFORMANCE MEETING WITH VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

FACILITY: Surry Power Station

DOCKETS: 50-280, 50-281

DATE & TIME: Wednesday, March 30, 2005
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Surry Nuclear Information Center (SNIC)
5470 Hog Island Rd.
Surry, VA 23883

PURPOSE: The purpose of this meeting is to arrive at a shared understanding of the performance issues, underlying causes, and your corrective actions associated with a degraded Mitigating Systems Cornerstone. The NRC's Policy Statement, "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings," effective May 28, 2002, applies to this meeting. The policy statement may be found on the NRC Web site, www.nrc.gov, and contains information regarding visitors.

CATEGORY: This is a **Category 1** meeting: The public is invited to observe this meeting and will have one or more opportunities to communicate with the NRC after the business portion, but before the meeting is adjourned.

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PARTICIPATING: Region II

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PARTICIPATING: None

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Enclosure