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REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
REGARDING RESPONSE TO GENERIC LETTER 2004-01
SALEM NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNIT NO. 2
DOCKET NO. 50-311

By letter dated October 29, 2004 (ML0430140237), PSEG Nuclear LLC, the licensee for Salem Nuclear Generating Station, Unit No. 2 (Salem, Unit No. 2), submitted a response to Generic Letter (GL) 2004-01, "Requirements For Steam Generator Tube Inspection." The Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff has reviewed this letter and has determined that additional information is needed in order for the staff to complete its review. A response to the following question is requested:

- Your response to GL 2004-01 indicated that the steam generator tube inspection practices at Salem, Unit No. 2 are not consistent with the NRC's position with respect to inspections within the hot leg tubesheet. You also stated a license change request would be submitted following the notice of a Consolidated Line Item Improvement Process item (CLIIP) for the steam generator Generic License Change Package. Given that the date for notice of a CLIIP is uncertain, and development of a CLIIP is independent of GL 2004-01, please provide a date for submitting the license change request.

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