

August 22, 2005

Mr. Dennis Koehl  
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SUBJECT: POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNIT 1 - REVIEW OF STEAM  
GENERATOR TUBE INSPECTION REPORT FOR THE 2004 OUTAGE  
(TAC NO. MC4538)

Dear Mr. Koehl:

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Based on a review of the information provided, the NRC staff concludes that the licensee provided the information required by their technical specifications. In addition, the NRC staff concludes that there are no technical issues that warrant follow-up action at this time since the inspections appear to be consistent with the objective of detecting potential tube degradation and the inspection results appear to be consistent with industry operating experience at similarly designed and operated units. TAC No. MC4538 will be closed.

Sincerely,

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