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Potential Tech Spec Violation -**Operation Outside Allowed Interval** for Operability Tests of Certain **Limiting Safety System Settings**

University of Florida Training Reactor Facility License R-56, Docket No. 50-83

As per my telephone conversation on April 11, 2006 with NRC Project Manager Marvin Mendonca concerning UFTR operation outside the allowed quarterly interval for the operability tests of certain Limiting Safety System Settings (LSSS's), we have concluded that this operation with the LSSS's not checked for operability within the requisite quarterly interval as specified in Tech Spec Table 3.2 is a potentially promptly reportable occurrence per UFTR Technical Specifications Section 6.6.2 delineating requirements for special reports. The applicable section of the Tech Specs is Table 3.2 in Section 3.2.2 which lists the LSSS's required to be tested for operability on a quarterly basis.

Sincerely,

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- Director of Nuclear Facilities

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