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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

OFFICE OF INSPECTION AND ENFORCEMENT BULLETIN 77-03 - RII:JPO
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50-520, 50-521 - SEQUOYAH, WATTS BAR, BELLEFONTE, AND HARTSVILLE -
ON-LINE TESTING OF THE WESTINGHOUSE W SOLID STATE PROTECTION SYSTEM (SSPS)

This is in response to your September 12, 1977, letter which
transmitted IE Bulletin 77-03. We have reviewed IE Bulletin
77-03 and have taken the following corrective actions:

1. The Sequoyah and Watts Bar Nuclear Plants are equipped with the Westinghouse W Solid State Protection System (SSPS). The SSPS test procedures for both plants will be revised to include the new procedure, "Testing of Safety Injection Reset Timing Circuits."
2. Bellefonte and Hartsville Nuclear Plants are of non-Westinghouse origin and, therefore, no corrective action is required.

Very truly yours,

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