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Chris L. Burton, Vice President Shearon Harris Nuclear Power Plant Carolina Power & Light Company Post Office Box 165, Mail Zone 1 New Hill, North Carolina 27562-0165

SUBJECT: SHEARON HARRIS NUCLEAR POWER PLANT, UNIT 1 - CLOSEOUT OF

GENERIC LETTER 2007-01, "INACCESSIBLE OR UNDERGROUND POWER CABLE FAILURES THAT DISABLE ACCIDENT MITIGATION SYSTEMS OR

CAUSE PLANT TRANSIENTS" (TAC NO. MD4333)

Dear Mr. Burton:

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- (2) A description of all inspection, testing, and monitoring programs to detect the degradation of inaccessible or underground power cables that support emergency diesel generators (EDGs), offsite power, emergency service water (ESW), service water, component cooling water and other systems that are within the scope of the Maintenance Rule.

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me at 301-415-3178.

Sincerely

Marlayna Vaaler, Project Manager

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