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May 29, 2012

Dr. William Yeniscavich, Consultant  
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SUBJECT: VOGTLE UNIT 3 WELDING RING 1 COURSE 1 DOCUMENTS

Dear Dr. Yeniscavich:

Enclosed is a binder you requested for your review which includes the following documents in support of the Vogtle Unit 3 Containment Vessel Ring 1 Inspection:

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2. Procurement Specifications for the CV Material
3. CV Ring 1 Course 1 DWG indicating the cracked weld locations
4. Welding Material Specifications, WPS, and PQR
5. CB&I NDE procedures for RT and Visual examinations
6. CB&I PWHT and Heat Treat procedures
7. CV Plate and Welding Material CMTRs
8. Boat Sample pictures and initial micrographs
9. Site pictures of Ring 1

Please return the documents to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region II Office, ATTN: Eric Patterson, Construction Inspection, 245 Peachtree Center Avenue, Suite 1200, Atlanta, GA 30303, when the inspection is completed. I have requests from the Licensee for Radiographic Examination (RT) records and welder qualification records for the vertical weld seam for B3-A9 to B3-A8 and B3-A8 to B3-A7. We will send you the RT, Weld Records, and the final microstructure evaluation report when completed by the licensee's contractor.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter/information, please contact Jamie Heisserer at 404-997-4451.

Sincerely,

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