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July 18, 2013

EA-13-129

Mr. William R. Gideon
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**SUBJECT: MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT - PUBLIC MEETING – REGULATORY
CONFERENCE - H.B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT - 05000261**

Dear Mr. Gideon,

This letter confirms the telephone conversation between Brian McCabe of your staff and George Hopper of this office on July 16, 2013, concerning a Regulatory Conference, being conducted at your request, which has been scheduled for August 19, 2013, at 10:30 A.M. The meeting notice, which provides additional details, is enclosed. The purpose of the Regulatory Conference is to discuss the risk significance of the inspection finding documented in Inspection Report No. IR NO.: 50-261/13-08. This finding involved the failure to perform adequate preventive maintenance on the dedicated shutdown diesel generator (DSDG) cooling system, in accordance with vendor recommendations and was preliminarily characterized as WHITE, e.g., an issue having low to moderate safety significance. In addition, the conference will also address the apparent violation associated with the inspection finding.

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Should you have any questions concerning this conference, please contact me at 404-997-4645.

Sincerely,

/RA/

George T. Hopper, Chief
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Docket No.: 50-261
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SUBJECT: PUBLIC MEETING WITH DUKE ENERGY - REGULATORY CONFERENCE

FACILITY: H.B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT

DOCKET: 05000261

DATE & TIME: Monday August 19, 2013
10:30 am to 12:30 pm (EDT)

LOCATION: NRC Region II Office
245 Peachtree Center Avenue NE
Suite 1200
Atlanta, GA 30303-1257

PURPOSE: The purpose of this meeting is to discuss one finding and the associated apparent violation for the H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant (ref inspection report 05000261/2013008 (ML13182A428)).

The NRC's Policy Statement, "Enhancing Public Participation in NRC Meetings," effective May 28, 2002 applies to this meeting. The policy statement may be found on the NRC Web site, www.nrc.gov and contains information regarding visitors and security.

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