

Mr. D. E. Young, Vice President Carolina Power & Light Company H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant, Unit No. 2 3581 West Entrance Road Hartsville, South Carolina 29550

SUBJECT: GENERIC LETTER (GL) 97-01, "DEGRADATION OF CRDM/CEDM NOZZLE AND OTHER VESSEL CLOSURE HEAD PENETRATIONS" RESPONSES FOR H. B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT, UNIT NO. 2, AND THE WESTINGHOUSE OWNERS GROUP (WOG) INTEGRATED PROGRAM FOR ASSESSMENT OF WESTINGHOUSE-DESIGNED VESSEL HEAD PENETRATION NOZZLES - REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF RESPONSE TIME TO JANUARY 31, 1999

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Sincerely,

Original signed by:

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