December 19, 1996

Duke Power Company ATTN: Mr. J. W. Hampton Vice President Oconee Site P. O. Box 1439 Seneca, SC 29679

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-269/96-13, 50-270/96-13,

AND 50-287/96-13

Dear Mr. Hampton:

Thank you for your response of December 4, 1996, to our Notice of Violation issued on November 4, 1996, concerning activities conducted at your Oconee facility. We have evaluated your response and found that it meets the requirements of 10 CFR 2.201. We will examine the implementation of your corrective action during future inspections.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

L. D. Wert, Acting Chief Reactor Projects Branch 1 Division of Reactor Projects

Docket Nos. 50-269, 50-270, 50-287 License Nos. DPR-38, DPR-47, DPR-55

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