



**UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**
REGION II
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May 21, 2015

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company
ATTN: Mr. Paul Mothena
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Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station
P. O. Box 88 (Mail Code P40)
Jenkinsville, SC 29065-0088

**SUBJECT: V. C. SUMMER NUCLEAR POWER PLANT - OPERATOR LICENSING
WRITTEN EXAMINATION APPROVAL 05200027/2015302**

Dear Mr. Mothena:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the final arrangements for the upcoming operator licensing written examination at V. C. Summer Unit 2 Nuclear Power Plant.

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has completed its review of the operator license applications submitted in connection with this examination and separately provided a list of approved applicants to your office. The NRC staff will administer the operating tests to individuals, as applicable, on a date to be determined later. Note that any examination waivers and application denials have been addressed in separate correspondence. Waivers were granted as requested, except those that requested portions of the operating test diverge by more than 30 days from previously administered portions of the examination.

The NRC has approved the subject written examination and hereby authorizes you to administer the written examination in accordance with Revision 10, of NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors," during the week of May 18, 2015 or May 25, 2015.

This examination has undergone extensive review by my staff and representatives responsible for operator training at your facility. Based on this review, I have concluded that the examination meets the guidelines of NUREG-1021 for content, operational, and discrimination validity. By administering this examination, you also agree that it meets NUREG-1021 guidelines, and is appropriate for measuring the qualifications of licensed operators at your facility. By administering this examination, you acknowledge that currently there has been no waiver approved to allow portions of the operating test to diverge by more than 30 days from previously administered portions of the examination. Furthermore, by administering the examination, you also acknowledge that each applicant is then committed to promptly enter into a systems approach to training (SAT) based continuing training program until a licensing decision has been made. If you determine that this examination is not appropriate for licensing operators at your facility, do not administer the examination and contact me at (404) 997-4662.

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Please contact the Chief Examiner, Mr. Mark A. Bates, at (404) 997-4612 if you have any questions or identify any errors or changes in license level (RO or SRO) or type of examination (partial or complete written examination and/or operating test) specified for each applicant on the list of approved applicants.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Eugene F. Guthrie, Chief
Operations Branch 2
Division of Reactor Safety

Docket No.: 52-027
License No.: NPF-93

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