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Docket Nos. 50-269
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Mr. Austin C. Thies
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Dear Mr. Thies:

In connection with the proposed issuance of operating licenses for Oconee Units 2 and 3, the Final Environmental Statement was reviewed and it was determined that the Statement sets forth an adequate analysis and evaluation of the environmental impact of the proposed actions. These findings were published in the form of an Addendum to the FES, three copies of which are enclosed. The Addendum provides a progress report on the Station's continuing monitoring program and updates certain "need for power information."

It was determined that the information set forth in the Addendum was not of sufficient importance to warrant its circulation for comment. However, copies of the Addendum will be furnished to the Federal and State agencies who received copies of the FES for their information. The availability of the Addendum will also be noticed in the Federal Register.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
 Gordon K. Dicker

Gordon K. Dicker, Chief
 Environmental Projects Branch 2
 Directorate of Licensing

Enclosure:
 Addendum

cc: M. William L. Porter, Esq.
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