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Mr Darrell G Eisenhut, Director
Division of Licensing
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr Eisenhut:

The B&W Owners Group has been committed to assisting the Staff in their review of the Abnormal Transient Operating Guidelines (ATOG) program. Several meetings have occurred and documents have been submitted over the past two years to resolve Staff comments as they were identified.

The Staff has now completed a preliminary review of the Oconee Unit 3 draft guidelines. Comments from that review were transmitted to the Owners Group in your letter of March 3, 1982. In parallel with that letter, the Owners Group met with the Staff on March 4, 1982 to respond to those comments contained in your letter. Copies of the Owners Group response and the most recent draft of the Oconee guideline were provided to the Staff at that meeting.

B&W has recently completed the Oconee ATOG guidelines, including those additions to resolve Staff concerns regarding loss of HPI, containment integrity, and natural phenomena. Copies of the Oconee documents are herein transmitted to the Staff in fulfillment of our agreement for an April 1982 submittal.

Enclosed also, is a complete list of those Staff comments transmitted in your March 3, 1982 letter and disposition of those comments. We appreciate the thorough review conducted by your Staff and feel confident that the comments have helped us improve the ATOG program which will in turn enhance reactor safety.

Very truly yours,

Warren J. Hall

Warren J Hall, Chairman
Operator Support Subcommittee
Babcock & Wilcox Owners Group

Enclosures: Disposition of Staff Review Comments on Oconee Unit 3
ATOG Guidelines and Oconee Unit 3 Technical Guidelines

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