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The NRC Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) has been completed for your Oconee facility. The facility was evaluated for the period February 2, 1992, through May 1, 1993. The results of the evaluation are documented in the enclosed Initial SALP Report. This report will be discussed with you at a public meeting to be held at the Oconee facility on July 28, 1993, at 10:00 a.m.

The performance of your Oconee facility was evaluated in the functional areas of Plant Operations, Radiological Controls, Maintenance/Surveillance, Emergency Preparedness, Security, Engineering/Technical Support, and Safety Assessment/Quality Verification.

Overall performance for Oconee continued with the same category ratings as the last assessment period. Performance was maintained at a superior level in the functional areas of Radiological Protection, Security and Emergency Preparedness. Performance in the remaining functional areas was good.

Although management attention resulted in improvement in command and control over operational evolutions, particularly shutdown operations, the weaknesses noted in the previous SALP period associated with procedural adherence continued. Failure by the staff to follow procedural requirements was compounded in some cases by the inadequacy of the procedures. Further, inadequate control of maintenance and surveillance activities resulted in several preventable operational transients. I look forward to discussing this assessment with you on July 28, 1993.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

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*Original signed by Stewart Ebnetter*

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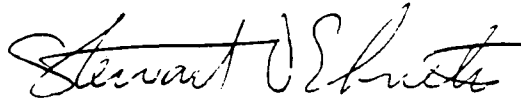
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