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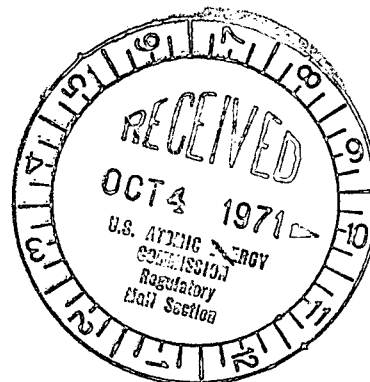
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Dr. Peter A. Morris, Director
Division of Reactor Licensing
Atomic Energy Commission
Washington, D. C. 20545

Reference: Oconee Nuclear Station
Unit No. 1
Docket No. 50-269



Dear Dr. Morris:

In connection with the Preoperational Test Program for Oconee Nuclear Station Unit No. 1, which is under construction pursuant to provisional construction permit CPPR-33, Duke Power Company submits herewith copies of the following report in response to requests by your staff:

"Description of Cause and Correction
of Damage to Control Rod Drive Mechanisms
During Preoperational Testing of Oconee No. 1"

Three copies of this report are attached. Thirty-seven copies are being transmitted under separate cover.

This report was written to document the activities associated with control rod drive damage which occurred during initial checkout of the drives as part of the Preoperational Test Program for Oconee Unit No. 1.

Sincerely,

A. C. Thies

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Attachments

