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LTR REF AMDTS 16 & 13 TO THE OCONEE NUCLEAR STATION REVISED APPENDIX A TECH SPEC..... REQUESTING APPROVAL BY 6-1-76 TO CHANGE THE SUBMISSION OF A ENVIRO RPT FROM A SEMI-ANNUAL TO AN ANNUAL RPT.....

PLANT NAME: Oconee 1-2-3

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May 7, 1976

Mr. Benard C. Rusche
Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Re: Oconee Nuclear Station
Docket Nos. 50-269, -270, -287

Dear Mr. Rusche:

Amendments 16, 16 and 13 to the Oconee Nuclear Station Facility Operating Licenses DPR-38, -47 and -55, respectively, revised the Appendix A Technical Specifications to require that the routine operating report be submitted on an annual basis in lieu of the previous requirement to submit the report semiannually. The Appendix B, Non-Radiological Technical Specification, however, continues to require the submission of non-radiological, environmental data on a semiannual basis.

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 50, §50.90, a revision to the Oconee Nuclear Station Appendix B Technical Specification 1.0B is requested to change the frequency of submittal of the non-radiological, environmental report to an annual basis. This change will be consistent with the Appendix A reporting requirements. The proposed change is indicated on the attached Appendix B Technical Specification replacement page.

It is requested that this revision to the Oconee Technical Specifications be approved by June 1, 1976 in order that proper planning for the submission of this report may be completed.

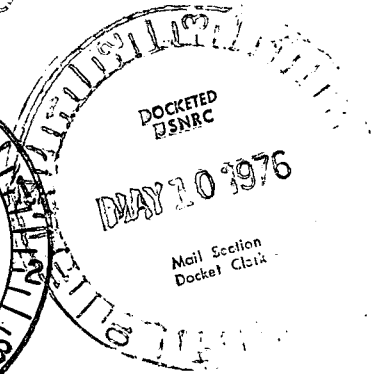
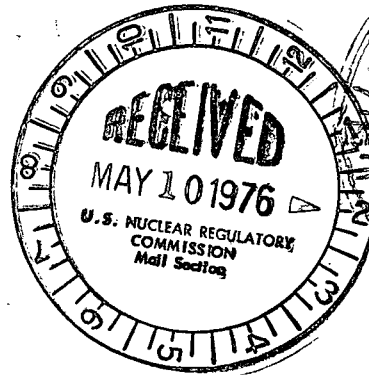
Very truly yours,


William O. Parker, Jr.

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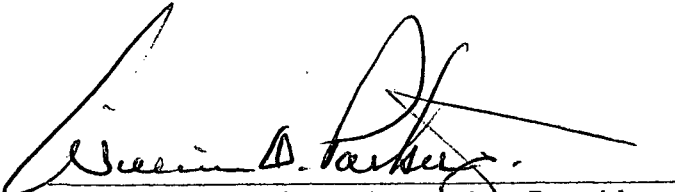
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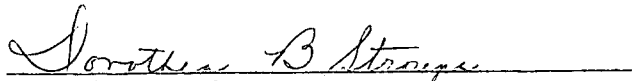
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Mr. Benard C. Rusche
May 7, 1976
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WILLIAM O. PARKER, JR., being duly sworn, states that he is Vice President of Duke Power Company; that he is authorized on the part of said Company to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission this request for amendment of the Oconee Nuclear Station Facility Operating Licenses DPR-38, DPR-47 and DPR-55; and that all statements and matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge.


William O. Parker, Jr., Vice President

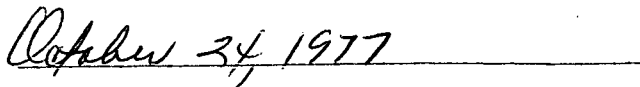
ATTEST:


Dorothea B. Stroupe
Assistant Secretary

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May 1976.


Edna B. Farmer
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:


October 31, 1977

1.0 NON-RADIOLOGICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

Objective: To establish operational limits, programs for environmental surveillance and special studies, and reporting requirements.

Applicability: Applies to the thermal and chemical effects of the Oconee Nuclear Station.

Specification:

- A. The station operating limits described in this section shall be effective on the day the first unit of Oconee Nuclear Station is licensed to operate and shall continue in effect over the plant's operating lifetime. The surveillance programs and special studies shall continue in effect for the period of time necessary to determine the environmental impact of the station.
- B. The data obtained from the programs defined in this section shall be analyzed and compared with the analytical predictions and preoperational data. A report of the results of these programs shall be forwarded to the Commission annually by April 1. A report summarizing the results of the overall environmental surveillance and study programs shall be submitted 60 days following the third anniversary of the date the last unit of the Oconee Nuclear Station is licensed to operate.
- C. If on the basis of such annual and summary reports it is established that no major adverse environmental impact has resulted or is likely to result from continued operation of the Oconee Nuclear Station and that the degree of impact that has occurred has stabilized and is not likely to change, then the environmental surveillance and study programs may be modified or terminated. Otherwise, they shall continue until an annual report does establish that no change in impact has resulted or is likely to result. If on the basis of any annual report or the summary report it is established that the results of the monitoring program are inconclusive, either in whole or in part, the licensee shall propose reasonable changes to the program to yield conclusive results and implement such changes when they are approved by the Commission. No substantial changes or termination of any specified program shall be made without Commission approval.

Bases: The specific requirements and details of these environmental specifications are outlined by subject in this section.

The overall environmental monitoring program is summarized in Table 1.0-1.