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revising Tech Specs 3.1.5, 3.1.10 & 4.1 re cost beneficial
licensing action item.

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Subject: Oconee Nuclear Station
Docket Nos. 50-269, -270, -287
Proposed Revision to the Chemistry Technical
Specification Sections 3.1.5, 3.1.10 and 4.1
Cost Beneficial Licensing Action Item

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.90, Attachment 1 provides a proposed amendment to the Oconee Nuclear Station (ONS) Facility Operating Licenses and Technical Specifications. Attachment 2 provides a marked up copy of the current Technical Specifications.

The proposed amendment reduces the surveillance frequency for the concentrated boric acid storage tank boron concentration surveillance. In addition, the amendment removes some of the Chemistry surveillance requirements for the Reactor Coolant System from the Technical Specifications. This amendment request is considered a cost beneficial licensing action (CBLA) with an estimated cost savings of \$1,200,000 over the remaining life of the plant. The proposed amendment has been reviewed and approved by the Plant Onsite Review Committee and the Nuclear Safety Review Board.

I have determined that the proposed amendment has no significant hazards considerations. Attachment 3 provides the Technical Justification for the proposed amendment and Attachment 4 provides the No Significant Hazards Consideration Evaluation. The Environmental Impact Analysis is provided in Attachment 5.

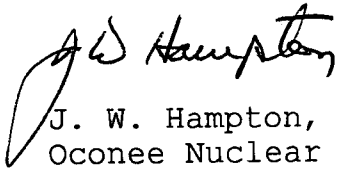
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Very Truly Yours,



J. W. Hampton, Site Vice President
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Attachments

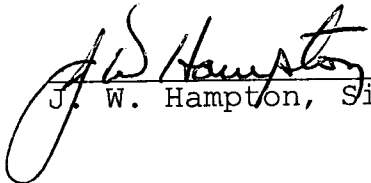
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J. W. Hampton, being duly sworn, states that he is Site Vice President of Duke Power Company, that he is authorized on the part of said Company to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission this revision to the Oconee Nuclear Station License Nos. 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.



J. W. Hampton, Site Vice President

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 1996.



Notary Public

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