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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

With regard to your letter of March 12, 1979 which transmitted IE Bulletin 79-02 concerning longitudinal weld defects in ASME SA-312 type 304 stainless steel pipes spools manufactured by Youngstown Welding and Engineering Company, the following response is provided regarding Oconee Nuclear Station.

A thorough investigation of Oconee records indicate that there is no ASME SA-312, type 304 piping or any other welded without filler metal piping manufactured by Youngstown Welding and Engineering Company at Oconee Nuclear Station in use or planned for use.

Very truly yours,

*William O. Parker, Jr.*  
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