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Region II
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Re: RII:JPO
50-269, 50-287
IE Bulletin 79-17

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

The examination of a sample of welds in stagnant borated water systems required by Item 2(b) of the referenced bulletin have been completed for Oconee Units 1 and 3. No evidence of weld cracking was observed. The following number of welds were examined using both UT and PT techniques.

| | <u>Unit 1</u> | <u>Unit 3</u> |
|-------|------------------|------------------|
| LPI | 45 of 437 | 43 of 424 |
| HPI | 25 of 118 | 22 of 119 |
| BS | <u>15 of 173</u> | <u>16 of 158</u> |
| Total | 85 of 728 | 81 of 701 |

This is considered to complete the requirements of IEB-79-17 for all three Oconee Units.

Very truly yours,

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