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SUBJECT: PNO-II-99-037B: on 990914, Hurricane Floyd was located approx 200 miles east-southeast of St Lucie Nuclear Plant & with ctr estimated near latitude 26.0 North & longitude 77.0 West. Licensee continuing to monitor progress of hurricane.

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PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE PNO-II-99-037B

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information is as initially received without verification or evaluation, and is basically all that is known by Region II staff in Atlanta, Georgia on this date.

<u>Facility</u>	<u>Licensee Emergency Classification</u>
Florida Power & Light Company	X Notification of Unusual Event
Turkey Point 3 & 4/St. Lucie 1 & 2	Alert
50-250, 50-251, 50-335, 50-389	Site Area Emergency
Miami/Jensen Beach, Florida	General Emergency
	Not Applicable

Subject: PREPARATIONS FOR HURRICANE FLOYD

At 2:00 p.m. on September 14, 1999, Hurricane Floyd was located approximately 200 miles east-southeast of St. Lucie Nuclear Plant and with the center estimated near latitude 26.0 North and longitude 77.0 West. The storm is moving west-northwest at 14 mph. Maximum winds are near 140 mph.

Florida Power and Light Company (FP&L) is continuing to prepare for the approach of the hurricane, including implementation of procedures for severe weather preparations. The licensee continues to be in an Unusual Event for Turkey Point Nuclear Plant (TPNP) Units 3 and 4, and St. Lucie 1 and 2. Both Units 3 and 4 at TPNP are currently at 100 percent power. St. Lucie Unit 1 is at 300 degrees F and establishing shutdown cooling in preparation for a scheduled refueling outage and Unit 2 is at approximately 85 percent power in the process of decreasing power to approximately 25 percent power. The licensee is continuing to monitor the progress of the hurricane.

At St. Lucie, three resident inspectors are onsite monitoring activities. A Region II manager is at the FP&L Emergency Operations Facility (EOF) in Miami. The Region II State Liaison Officer is available to be dispatched to the Florida Emergency Operation Center (EOC) in Tallahassee. State Situation Reports can be obtained from the following internet address: esf5@sprynet.com.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Situation Reports can be obtained at: www.fema.gov. The FEMA Region IV Regional Operations Center (ROC) in Atlanta is fully activated.

The NRC entered the Monitoring Mode at 9:30 a.m. and continues to follow the licensees' activities.

This information is current as of 2:30 p.m. on September 14, 1999.

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