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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

In response to IE Bulletin 79-04, Incorrect Weights for Swing Check Valves manufactured by Velan Engineering Corporation, dated March 30, 1979, Alabama Power Company submits the following response to Items 1 through 5 for Farley Unit 2.

- Item 1: List all Seismic Category I piping systems where 3, 4, or 6 inch diameter Velan swing check valves are installed.
  - (a) Boron Thermal Regeneration (2 valves)
  - (b) Waste Process (3 valves)
  - (c) Chemical and Volume Control (11 Valves)
  - (d) Safety Injection (11 valves)
- Item 2: Verify for the systems identifie: in Item (1) above that correct check valve weights were used in the piping analysis.

All Velar swing check valve weights from certified vendor drawings are compared to the check valve weights specified in IE Bulletin 79-04. No discrepancies were found.

Item 3 These items in the bulletin are not applicable since the correct thru 5: valve weights were used in the analysis.

Yours truly,

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