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Gentlemen:

In the letter dated February 22, 1979 on the embed assemblies for the Vogtle Nuclear Plant - Units 1 & 2, Georgia Power Company indicated the final report would be submitted by June 1, 1979. It is now clear that Georgia Power Company is unable to complete its evaluation by this date.

Georgia Power Company has completed detailed visual and ultrasonic examinations of the embed assemblies and has submitted a report to Southern Company Services licensing and Bechtel engineering. This report has been reviewed by both licensing and engineering and the bolts that will require plug welding have been identified. Georgia Power Company has submitted the plug welding procedure to Bechtel for approval.

Georgia Power Company is unable to establish a definite completion date for the final report at this time. Georgia Power Company will provide an additional update and hopefully a date for a final report by August 1, 1979.

Very truly yours,

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