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Mr. J. P. O'Reilly
Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Suite 3100
101 Marietta Street
Atlanta, GA 30303

Subject: Crystal River Unit 3
Docket No. 50-302
Operating License No. DPR-72
IE Bulletin 79-27

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

Since receipt of IE Bulletin 79-27, "Loss of Non-Class IE Instrumentation and Control Power System Bus During Operation", FPC has been reviewing the Crystal River Unit 3 design and procedures for these systems.

This letter is to inform you that we will require additional time to complete our review and evaluation of the Non-Class IE Instrumentation & Control Power Systems at CR-3.

We will notify you as soon as possible of our schedule for completion of this effort.

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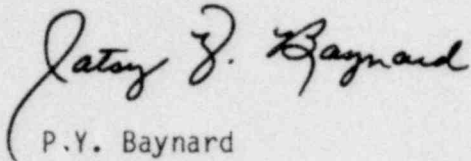
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Please contact this office if you require any further discussion of this matter.

Very truly yours,

FLORIDA POWER CORPORATION

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P.Y. Baynard
Manager
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cc: Director
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