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Duke Power Comapny
ATTN: Mr. A. C. Thies, Senior Vice President
Production and Transmission
Power Building
422 South Church Street
Charlotte, North Carolina 28201

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. F. Jape of this office on January 22-26, 1974, of activities authorized by AEC Operating License No. DPR-47 for the Oconee 2 facility, and to the discussion of our findings held by Mr. Jape with Mr. J. E. Smith at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection and our findings are discussed in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

During the inspection, it was found that certain activities under your license appear to be in violation of AEC requirements. The violation and references to pertinent requirements are listed in Section I of the summary of the enclosed report.

In addition to the need for corrective action regarding these specific deficiencies, we are concerned about the timeliness of incident reviews by the Station Review Committee. It is our understanding that you will give further consideration to performance of timely reviews by the Station Review Committee. Consequently, in your reply, please include a description of your actions taken or plans to improve the review of incidents.

The results of our followup of previously identified matters are contained in the enclosed report as follows:

- a. The results of our inspection of your corrective action on previously identified violations are discussed in Section II of the summary of the enclosed report.

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- b. The status of unresolved items identified in previous inspection reports is discussed in Section IV of the summary of the enclosed report.

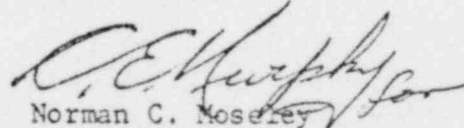
New unresolved items are identified in Section III of the summary of the enclosed report.

This notice is sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201 of the AEC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office, within 20 days of your receipt of this notice, a written statement or explanation in reply including: (1) corrective steps which have been taken by you, and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the AEC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the AEC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you submit a written application to this office requesting that such information be withheld from public disclosure. If no proprietary information is identified, a written statement to that effect should be submitted. If an application is submitted, it must fully identify the bases for which information is claimed to be proprietary. The application should be prepared so that information sought to be withheld is incorporated in a separate paper and referenced in the application since the application will be placed in the Public Document Room. Your application, or written statement, should be submitted to us within 20 days. If we are not contacted as specified, the enclosed report and this letter may then be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Very truly yours,


Norman C. Roseley
Director

Enclosure:

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cc w/encl:

J. E. Smith, Plant Superintendent
Box 1175, Seneca, S. C. 29678

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