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Docket Nos. 50-348, 50-364 License Nos. NPF-2, NPF-8

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Gentlemen:

This letter confirms our conversation of October 5, 1989, in which you agreed that your organization would participate in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) Regulatory Impact Survey on November 28, 1989. We appreciate your cooperation in this offort. Information regarding this survey is provided below.

The NRC has received feedback from nuclear utilities and nuclear utility organizations that NRC generic and site specific activities may be moving in a direction such that the desired safety effects may not be realized. As a result of this feedback, the NRC plans to conduct a survey of licensee staff members representing several organizational elements and levels at several utilities throughout the nation. The feedback from licensee staff members will be evaluated to determine what changes, if any, should be made to the NRC's regulatory approach to enhancing the safe operation of nuclear power plants. The survey will be conducted during September through December 1989 by a team of approximately five senior NRC managers from the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, Office for Analysis and Evaluation of Operational Data and the Regional Offices. Mr. A. Bert Davis, Region III Administrator, will lead the overall effort.

The meeting with your organization will be held at your Dothan, Alabama, Farley facility. The schedule and general discussion groups are shown in the enclosure. We desire that members of your organization discuss, without reservation or limitations, their views on NRC generic and site specific activities and how NRC activities may be affected by the activities of other organizations such as INPO, states, and insurance companies. Problems and issues identified will not be directly associated with the individuals or with your company.

Please provide the name and phone number of an individual within your organization that we can contact in case of questions concerning meeting logistics. This information should be provided by telephone to Cindy Pederson, Region III, at (312) 790-5540 by October 18, 1989.

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Again, we appreciate your willingness to cooperate in this important initiative. We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this survey.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: NRC Regulatory Impact Survey

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NRC REGULATORY IMPACT SURVEY November 28, 1939

TIME

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

DISCUSSION GROUP*

Senior Reactor Operators, Reactor Operators, Shift Technical Advisors, Shift Foreman, and Operational Supervisors

Plant QA Engineers, Maintenance Engineers, Nuclear Engineers, Electrical Ergineers, and Health Physicist

Lunch

Corporate Licensing Engineer, Corporate QA Manager, Manager of Planning and Scheduling, Project Engineer, and Corporate Training Officer

Managers of Operations, Construction, Engineering, Maintenance, Design, Radiation Protection, Security and Emergency Preparedness

Executive Vice President, Senior Vice President, and other corporate personnel

^{*}The organizational titles listed are general in nature and may not be used at your facility. Please alter, as necessary.