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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, D. C. 20555

Gentlemen:

VOGTLE ELECTRIC GENERATING PLANT RESPONSE TO NRC BULLETIN 88-10, SUPPLEMENT 1

NRC Bulletin 88-10, Supplement 1, dated August 3, 1989 was received at the Vogtle site on August 8, 1989. This supplement requested that licensees review their responses to Bulletin 88-10 and verify that the responses meet the bulletin provisions as clarified by this supplement.

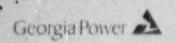
As we stated in our March 31, 1989 letter, Georgia Power Company identified seven hundred and fifty-nine molded case circuit breakers being maintained as safety-related spares. It was also stated in our letter that due to the large number of breakers being maintained, a sample from each warehouse stock number would be selected for traceability purposes to satisfy the requirements of the bulletin. We have verified that our response is unchanged in light of the additional clarification given in Supplement 1.

Based on the guidance given in supplement 1 of Bulletin 88-10 additional traceability reviews of approximately 700 breakers are required. That is:

"For CBs stored as spares that were not provided from the CBM, each individual CB should be reviewed in order to establish proper traceability, regardless of the number of CBs."

To date, Georgia Power Company has completed successful traceability reviews on approximately 700 breakers. This number includes the results of the initial sample. All remaining traceability reviews are scheduled to be completed by January 2, 1990. This additional review time is needed since the majority of the remaining breakers were removed from plant equipment, for various reasons, during construction and returned to the warehouse to be used as spares. This inherently takes more time than breakers that have been in the warehouse since being received on site.

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Mr. R. P. McDonald, states that he is an Executive Vice President of Georgia Power Company and is authorized to execute this oath on behalf of Georgia Power Company and that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the facts set forth in this letter are true.

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