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MEMORANDUM FOR: Al Schwenc̄er, Chief, Operating Reactors Branch #1,
NRR
FROM: J. Carl Stepp, Chief, Geosciences Branch, DSE
SUBJECT: OCONEE/JOCASSEE DAM SEISMICITY

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Attached is a memorandum from John Kelleher and Bob Jackson to me which outlines some of the problems that they have identified with the Jocassee Dam's seismicity. Since this memo was prepared, I understand that the Duke Power Company has agreed to a meeting with the staff on March 10 in order to discuss the present status of their investigation of the Jocassee seismicity. I believe it would be appropriate to await the outcome of that meeting before I take any further action with respect to the recommendations made by Bob and John. I would like to discuss with you alternative mechanisms by which more formal reporting requirements can be placed on the utility.

Original Signed by
J. C. Stepp

J. Carl Stepp, Chief
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Attachment

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