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Dear Mr. Dircks:

I am pleased to provide you with ten copies of the final environmental statement, prepared by the Commission's Regulatory Staff, on environmental considerations under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 relating to the application submitted by the Duke Power Company for the Oconee Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1. Although the licensing action at this time is for Oconee Nuclear Station, Unit 1, the Final Environmental Statement has been written considering the combined effects of operation of Units 1, 2, and 3.

This statement includes a discussion of the comments of various Federal, State, and local agencies and private organizations and individuals concerning the environmental effects associated with the facility. A notice of the availability of the statement is being forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register for filing and publication.

Sincerely,

LESTER ROGERS

Lester Rogers, Director
Division of Radiological and
Environmental Protection

Enclosure:
Final Environmental Statement for
the Oconee Nuclear Station, Unit
Nos. 1, 2, and 3

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