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NUCLEAR PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT

Office of Inspection & Enforcement U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region II 101 Marietta St., N.W., Suite 3100 Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Attention: Mr. J. P. O'Reilly, Director

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

SUBJECT: Grand Gulf Nuclear Station

Units 1 and 2

Docket Nos. 50-416 and 50-417 File 0260/L-860.0/L-401.0 Evaluation of IE Bulletin 80-16

Reference: AECM-80/196

AECM-80/265

It is requested that Mississippi Power & Light Company be granted a sixty day extension so that General Electric may complete their evaluation of the NSSS portions of Grand Gulf Nuclear Station affected by IE Bulletin 80-16. As previously indicated in AECM-80/196 dated August 27, 1980, we have already submitted a partial response covering the balance of the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station affected by IE Bulletin 80-16. Should you have any further questions regarding this matter, please advise.

Yours truly,

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