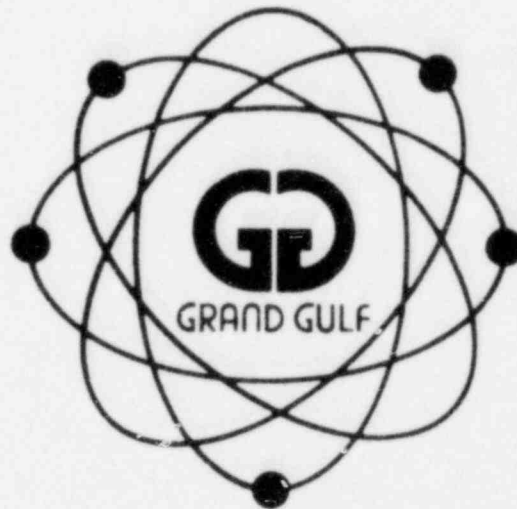


FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT



GRAND GULF NUCLEAR STATION UNITS 1 AND 2



MISSISSIPPI POWER & LIGHT COMPANY



MIDDLE SOUTH ENERGY, INC.

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ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director

Dear Sir:

SUBJECT: Grand Gulf Nuclear Station
Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. 50-416 and 50-417
File 0260/0277/M-900.0
Amendment 6 to the Final
Environmental Report
AECM-81/64

Attached are forty-one copies and three notarized originals of Amendment 6 to the Application for Licenses for Grand Gulf Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2, in the matter of the Final Environmental Report (FER). Amendment 6 consists of additional information on the Plant Service Water System (Section 2.4.5.5), a reorganization of section numbers in each volume of the FER, and the addition of Figure 2.4-15.

Yours truly,

JPM:lm
Attachments

cc: Mr. N. L. Stampley
Mr. G. B. Taylor
Mr. R. B. McGehee
Mr. T. B. Conner

Mr. Victor Stello, Jr., Director
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BEFORE THE
UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NOS. 50-416 AND 50-417

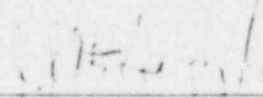
IN THE MATTER OF
MISSISSIPPI POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
and
MIDDLE SOUTH ENERGY, INC.
and
SOUTH MISSISSIPPI ELECTRIC POWER ASSOCIATION

AMENDMENT NO. 6 TO
APPLICATION FOR LICENSES
(FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT)

Mississippi Power & Light Company for itself and on behalf of Middle South Energy, Inc. and South Mississippi Electric Power Association herewith files this Amendment No. 6 to their Application for Licenses in the form of additional information to the FER, a reorganization of section numbers in each volume of the FER, and the addition of Figure 2.4-15.

Respectfully submitted,

Mississippi Power & Light Company

BY 
J. P. McGaughy, Jr.
Assistant Vice President
Nuclear Production

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HINDS

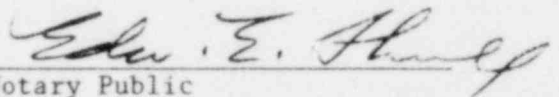
J. P. McGaughy, Jr., being duly sworn, states that he is Assistant Vice President - Nuclear Production of Mississippi Power & Light Company, that he is authorized on the part of said Company to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission this Amendment No. 6 to the Application for Licenses (Final Environmental Report) on behalf of Company, Middle South Energy, Inc. and South Mississippi Electric Power Association; that he signed the forgoing amendment as Assistant Vice President - Nuclear Production of Mississippi Power & Light Company; and that the statements made and the matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.



J. P. McGaughy, Jr.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County and State above named, this 16 day of FEB., 1981.

(SEAL)



Notary Public

My commission expires:

My Commission Expires Jan. 31, 1983

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MISSISSIPPI POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
GRAND GULF NUCLEAR STATION
UNITS 1 AND 2
DOCKET NOS. 50-416 and 417
AMENDMENT NO. 6

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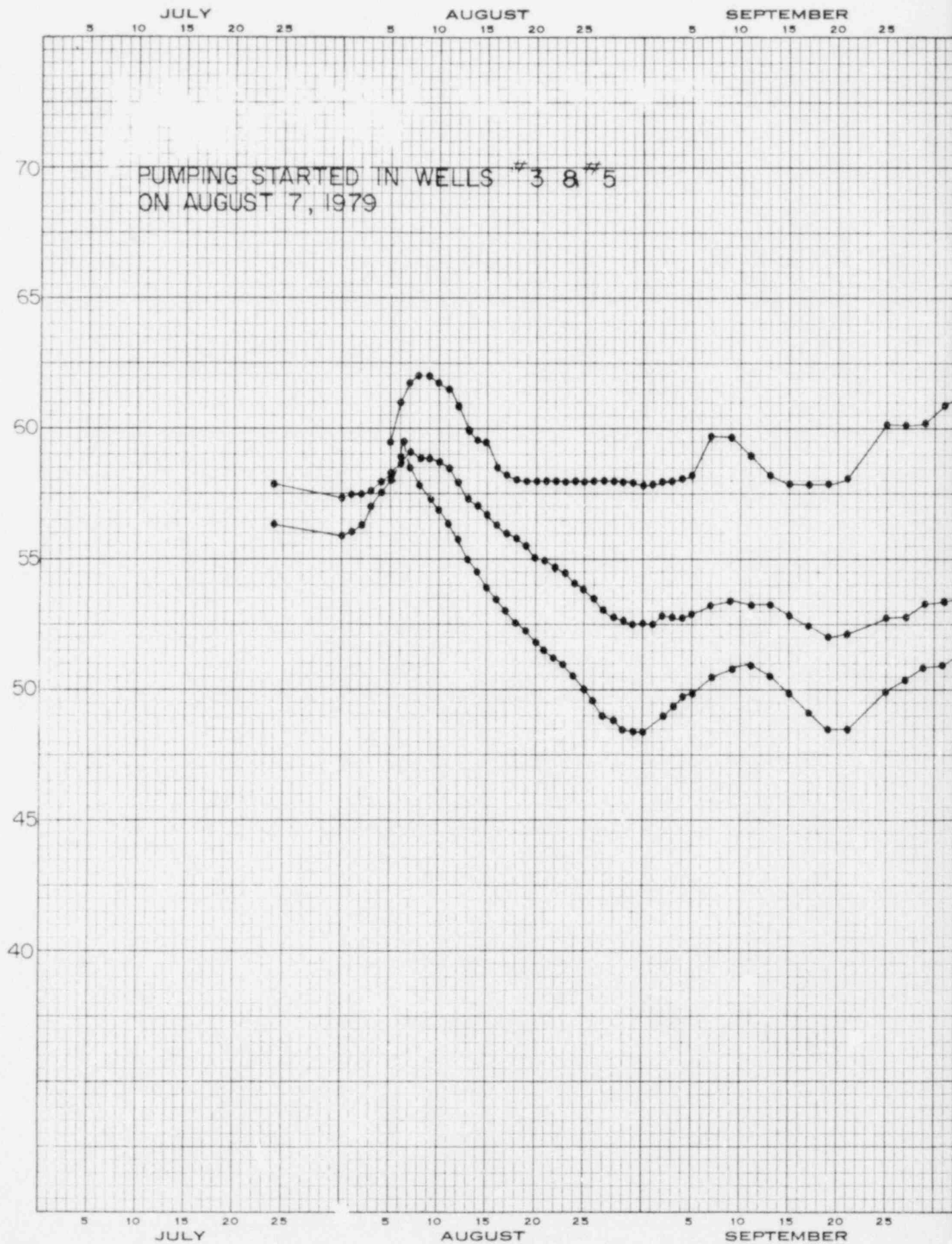
Chemical analyses of samples taken from the Mississippi River alluvial aquifer indicate the water is a sodium-calcium bicarbonate type, high in total dissolved solids (358 to 604 ppm). Samples of ground water from the terrace deposits are a calcium-magnesium bicarbonate type with a total dissolved solids contents of 277 to 442 ppm. The total dissolved solids concentration of a water sample from the Catahoula Formation is 460 ppm. The surface water samples are low in dissolved solids and less mineralized than ground water sampled in the site locality.

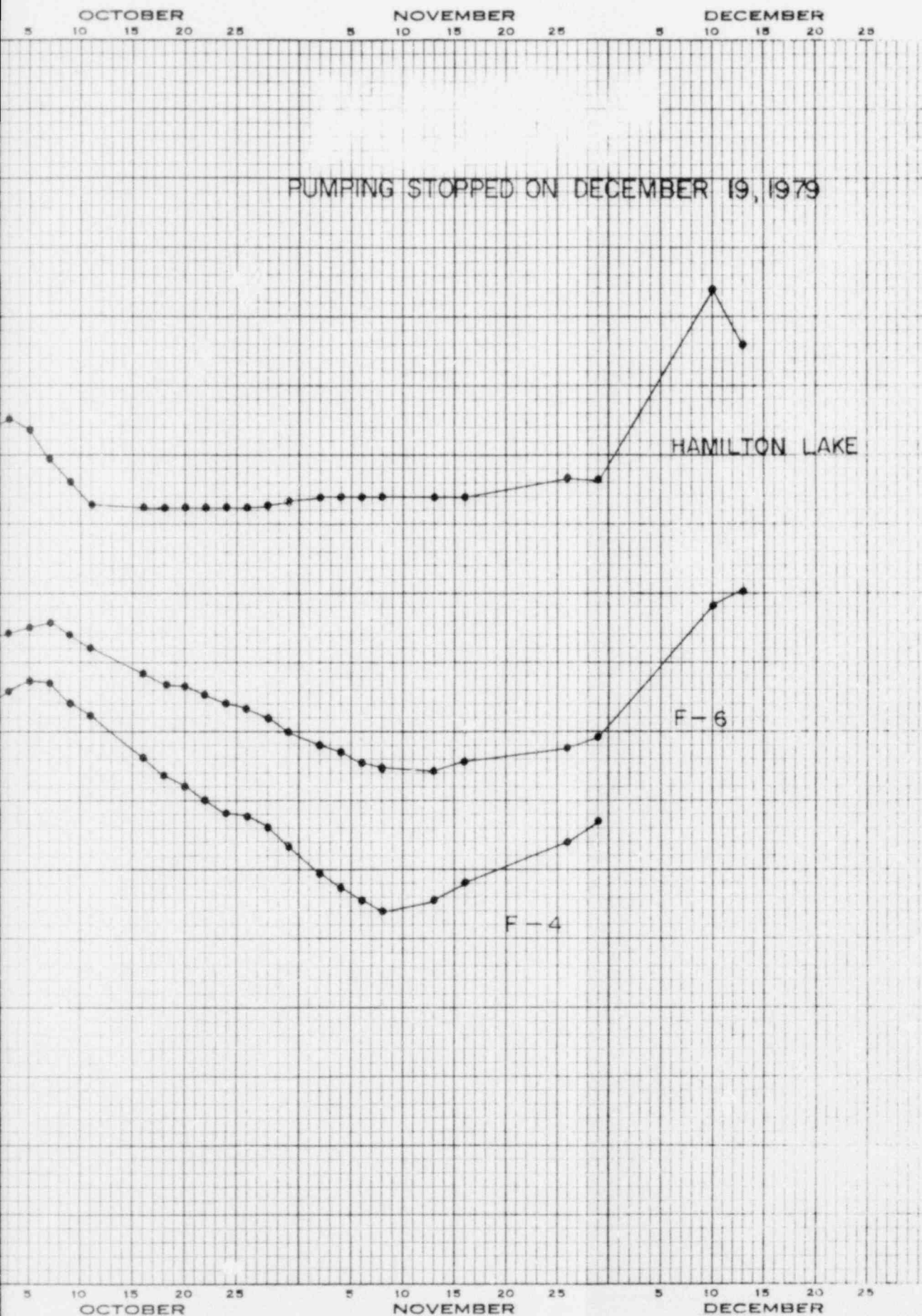
The results of past chemical analysis of both Mississippi surface water (Subsection 2.4.4) and the Mississippi alluvial aquifer (Subsection 2.4.5.5) will be supplemented by the water quality monitoring program for the plant service water (PSW) system (Subsection 3.4.2.2). This program calls for daily analysis of the PSW for pH, conductivity, alkalinity, hardness, and iron. The weekly analytical program calls for microbiological analyses and determination of total suspended solids, free available chlorine, and total residual chlorine. The daily and weekly sampling schedules and parameters will be adjusted as necessary for proper system operation.

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HYDROGRAPHS OF HAMILTON LAKE
AND OBSERVATION WELLS F-4 AND F-6.
DURING PUMP TESTS

FIGURE 2.4-15

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