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Mr. John A. Ritsher
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Dear Mr. Ritsher:

SEABROOK NUCLEAR STATION, UNITS 1 & 2 TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

This is in response to your amendment 42 to the license application for the Seabrook nuclear station.

We believe that Appendix L of 10 CFR Part 50 applies to "each corporate parent, subsidiary and affiliate." Separate responses are required where applicants are not under common ownership or control; where two affiliates are applicants, the parent can respond for both of them. In this instance, only Canal Electric Company need respond as it is the only new participant.

We have consistently applied the above interpretation to our antitrust reviews of affiliates of holding companies and would encourage you to submit the Appendix L information for Canal Electric (considering the possible exemptions under parts 2.101 and 50.33a for de minimis applicants) at an early date.

Sincerely,

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