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Re: Docket Nos. 50-277

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Mr. Darrell G. Eisenhut, Director Division of Licensing Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation US Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr. Eisenhut:

In our June 18, 1981, response to your February 25, 1981, letter on "Emergency Procedures and Training for Station Blackout Events", we indicated that a new procedure addressing the actions necessary to restore emergency onsite AC power would be developed 5, August 25, 1981. This letter requests a delay in developing this procedure until October 26, 1981.

At the time of our response, we expected that the procedure addressing complete loss of AC power would be developed within six months of the date of your letter; i.e., by August 25, 1981. However, as this procedure was developed, more detailed analysis was required in some areas than we had initially anticipated and several new procedures had to be written. In addition, increased work and at Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station caused by extension of the Unit 3 Refueling Outage and several unexpected forced outages on Unit 2 have delayed work on these procedures. We anticipate that these procedures will be completed by October 26, 1981.

If you have any questions or require additional information. please don't hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,