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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-424/90-11 AND 50-425/90-11

This refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection conducted by A. Tillman on April 30 - May 1, 1990. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Plant Vogtle. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed Inspection Report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

The inspection findings indicate that certain activities appeared to violate NRC requirements. The apparent violation described in the enclosed Inspection Report is under consideration for escalated enforcement action. Accordingly, a Notice of Violation is not being issued at this time, and a response to this letter is not required. However, please be advised that the number and characterization of the apparent violation described in the enclosed Inspection Report may change as a result of further NRC review. You will be advised by separate correspondence of the results of our deliberations on this matter.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(d) and 10 CFR 73.21, safeguards activities and security measures are exempt from public disclosure. Therefore, the enclosure to this letter, with the exception of the report cover page, which presents a nonexempt summary, will not be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: NRC Inspection Report (Safeguards Information)

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