



Carolina Power & Light Company

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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
ATTENTION: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

BRUNSWICK STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT, UNIT NO. 1
DOCKET NO. 50-325/LICENSE NO. DPR-71
WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST FOR LICENSE AMENDMENT
ONE-TIME EXTENSION OF DIESEL GENERATOR SURVEILLANCE INTERVAL

Gentlemen:

On April 19, 1990 (NLS-90-079), Carolina Power & Light Company requested a change to the Technical Specifications for the Brunswick Steam Electric Plant, Unit 1. The proposed change revises the surveillance interval associated with Technical Specification 4.8.1.1.2.d.1 to allow a one-time only extension of the surveillance requirement until October 31, 1990. The intent of the extension was to avoid a mid-cycle shutdown to perform diesel generator surveillances, thereby allowing operation of Brunswick-1 until the upcoming Reload 7 outage currently scheduled to begin in September 1990.

On May 21, 1990, Brunswick-1 entered an outage during which time the Technical Specification 4.8.1.1.2.d.1 surveillances will be performed. As such, there is no longer a need for the requested surveillance requirement extension. Therefore, Carolina Power & Light Company is withdrawing the license amendment request dated April 19, 1990.

The Company appreciates the Staff's efforts to process this license amendment in support of our requested issuance date. While the need for the requested diesel generator surveillance extension is no longer present, extended operating cycles at Brunswick are making the existing 18-month surveillance interval impractical. Carolina Power & Light Company is currently investigating methods of dealing with this situation and will keep the NRR Project Manager informed of our plans. Please refer any questions regarding this submittal to Mr. M. R. Oates at (919) 546-6063.

Yours very truly,

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