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Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station

Docket No. 50/395

Testing During Power Operations

Dear Mr. Denton:

As discussed with Mr. William Kane and Mr. John G. Spraul of your staff South Carolina Electric and Gas Company provides the attached marked up FSAR page which reflects agreements made in a phone conversation of May 7, 1982. This change will be incorporated in the next FSAR amendment.

If you have any questions, please let us know.

Very truly yours,

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Attachment

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The SCE&G QA organization conducts audits and surveillance at the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station to assure the continued existence and proper implementation of the testing procedures.

17.2.11.3 Testing During Power Operations

The Manager, Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station, is responsible for developing a test program which demonstrates the continued acceptability and operability of the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station without endangering the health of safety of the public.

The testing procedures are the responsibility of the Assistant Managers of Support and Maintenance Services for equipment and systems when they are unavailable for operation, and of the Assistant Manager, Operations for equipment and systems when they are in operation or available for operation.

The tests will verify that plant nuclear, thermal, hydraulic, and other operating parameters remain within the acceptance limits determined during design and the initial test program. The test data are independent from the operations group dently reviewed by the plant staff and/or Nuclear Engineering, with assistance from consultants, as needed, to determine that the acceptance criteria are met, and reports are prepared to record the data, analysis, and evaluation. The reports become part of the plant records, and are maintained as described in Section 17.2.17.

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