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Mr. R. L. Tedesco Assistant Director of Licensing U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D. C. 20555

SUBJECT: Waterford 3 SES Docket No. 50-382 Compliance with 10 CFR 73.21

REFERENCE: W3P82-0158 dated January 19, 1982

Dear Mr. Tedesco:

In January, 1982, we advised you that we expected to meet the requirements of 10 CFR 73.21 and NUREG-0794 by April 30, 1982. On August 24, 1982, we discovered that this expectation was not met, and that we were not in full compliance with the aforementioned regulations, and we took immediate action to correct this situation. This action was as follows:

- 1) Upon discovery of this situation on August 24, 1982, an immediate investigation as to the degree of our non-compliance was commenced.
- We implemented on August 25, 1982 a plan of action to bring Waterford 3 into full compliance with 10 CFR 73.21 and NUREG-0794.
- We developed on August 25, 1982 an LP&L Quality Assurance Audit Plan to audit our compliance with these regulations. This audit will commence on August 30, 1982.

On August 26, 1982, we informed Mrs. Black of this situation, and on August 27, 1982, we met with Mr. Constable and informed him of this situation. During this meeting, Mr. Constable was appraised of the following:

- 1) The magnitude of the situation
- The immediate corrective actions we have implemented to correct this situation

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It is our expectation, at this time, to be in full compliance with the regulations by September 8, 1982. We will inform you in writing when we have fully complied with the aforementioned regulations.

If there should be any questions regarding this matter, please advise.

Yours very truly,

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cc: E. L. Blake, W. M. Stevenson, S. Black, J. Davidson, L. Constable