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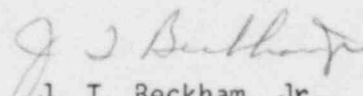
NRC DOCKETS 50-321, 50-366
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EDWIN I. HATCH NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1, 2
TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS ON TORUS WATER TEMPERATURE

Gentlemen:

On July 17, 1980, Georgia Power Company requested of the NRC a change to Technical Specifications for torus water temperature. The original reason for the request was that the unusually hot temperatures that summer were causing the river water temperature to be higher than normal. Since river water indirectly cools the torus water, this resulted in the torus water temperature approaching our Technical Specification limit. Ambient temperatures have since returned to their normal ranges. Therefore, we hereby withdraw our request of July 17, 1980.

If you have any further questions on this matter, please contact my office.

Very truly yours,


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