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The Honorable Bob Graham  
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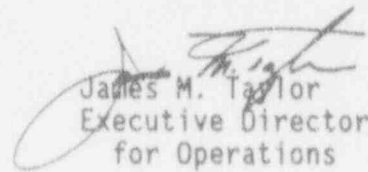
Dear Senator Graham:

This is in response to the letter you sent to Mr. Dennis Rathbun on January 24, 1994, asking for staff comments on a letter from the Florida Power and Light Company (FPL) that commented on a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, "Protection Against Malevolent Use of Vehicles at Nuclear Power Plants." The FPL comments were received earlier by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and logged into the rulemaking record on January 3, 1994.

The comments from FPL are one of more than thirty public comments that the NRC has received on this rulemaking effort. The NRC staff is currently reviewing these comments. When the review has been completed, the staff will prepare a paper for the NRC Commissioners that will analyze the public comments and propose whether and how this rulemaking effort should proceed. After the Commission completes its deliberations, the staff paper will be made publicly available. Of course, any final rule would be published in the Federal Register.

An NRC response to the specific FPL comments would be predecisional at this time. We will send you a copy of the paper containing the staff's analysis of public comments after it is released (we estimate April or May 1994). If we can be of any other service to you, please let us know.

Sincerely,

  
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for Operations

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