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> BRUNSWICK STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT, UNIT NOS. 1 AND 2 DOCKET NOS. 50-325 AND 50-324 LICENSE NOS. DPR-71 AND DPR-62 NUREG-0737, ITEM NO. III.D.3.4, CONTROL ROOM HABITABILITY

Dear Mr. Vassallo:

Your letter of August 27, 1982 requested that Carolina Power & Light Company (CP&L) justify any differences between our existing control room and NUREG 0737 suggestions. Our December 30, 1980 letter identified these differences and concluded that the existing BSEP Control Room is sufficient to provide adequate protection to control room personnel and that we were not convinced that further modifications could be justified on a cost-benefit basis. Our December 30, 1980 letter further suggested that the NRC reevaluate the cost-benefit of NRC suggested improvements.

For CP&L to now return to our December 30, 1980 list of differences and initiate the engineering work necessary to develop a technical justification for each difference, including a cost-benefit analysis, will require three months of engineering and review in addition to the 60 days suggested by your letter. Therefore, CP&L will provide a response to your request by January 31, 1983.

Yours very truly,

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