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50-424,50-425; Pullman Power Products Hanger
Reinspection Findings

Attention: Mr. James P. O'Reilly

Gentlemen:

On July 15, 1983, Mr. C. W. Hayes of Georgia Power Company reported a potential deficiency to the USNRC concerning numerous discrepancies identified by Georgia Power Company Construction and Q. A. personnel in the installation of pipe supports. The reinspection was initiated due to questions raised by the USNRC Construction Assessment Team.

The reinspection team examined approximately 100 pipe hanger installations and due to the number of discrepancies identified, recommended that project management review the situation in more depth. On July 24, 1983, Georgia Power Company organized a task force of cognizant personnel to perform an in-depth review and evaluation of the Pullman Power Products Program for the installation of piping systems, focusing heavily on pipe support installation and inspection.

At this time, Georgia Power Company cannot commit to a schedule for resolving this concern. Georgia Power Company intends to submit an interim report on this concern to the NRC by November 18, 1983.

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Yours truly,

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