

November 3, 1991

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Dear Mr. Putney:

I am responding to your request, on behalf of Edward S. Wollesen, for the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) to take action regarding the Crystal River Unit 3 Nuclear Generating Plant that was filed on June 25, 1991 (the Petition). This Petition was supplemented by a letter from Mr. Wollesen dated July 23, 1991. The Petition requests that the NRC institute a proceeding pursuant to Section 2.202 of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR 2.202) to suspend or revoke the plant's operating license, or to take such other action as may be proper. As the basis for this request, the Petition identifies five observations by Mr. Wollesen, each of which is alleged to constitute a "serious nuclear safety concern."

Your Petition has been referred to me pursuant to 10 CFR 2.206 of the Commission's regulations. After reviewing the Petition, the NRC has denied your request. The enclosed Director's Decision provides the reasons for this denial.

A copy of the Director's Decision will be referred to the Secretary for the Commission to review in accordance with 10 CFR 2.206. I also have enclosed a copy of the Notice of Issuance of Director's Decision, which has been filed with the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

Thomas E. Murley, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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- 1. Director's Decision 91- 6
- 2. Federal Register Notice

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