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NOTE TO: James G. Partlow

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FROM:

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Office of Nuclear Regulation

SUBJECT:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF DUE DATE ON GREEN TICKET EDO 7469 (2.206

PETITION REGARDING PHYSICAL SECURITY, MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES AND

COMPLIANCE WITH PROCEDURES AT THE SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT)

This is a request to extend the EDO due date of March 5, 1992 (NRR mailroom date of March 2, 1992) for this ticket.

The petition (dated February 10, 1992), filed by Mr. Thomas Saporito pursuant to 10 CFR Part 2.206 requested the Commission to institute a show cause proceeding against the licensee pursuant to 10 CFR Part 2.202 and requested a number of other swift actions by the NRC in the areas of physical security, maintenance activities, compliance with Technical Specifications and procedures, and training. Mr. Saporito also submitted to the NRC two "Notices of Violation" which are being treated as allegations by Region IV. On February 18, 1992, Region IV met with Mr. Saporitio to receive additional information regarding his concerns. A transcript was made of the meeting. Mr. Saporitio also filed a "Specific Request" dated February 19, 1992, alleging improper conduct on the part of Region IV in its consideration of his concerns.

We are requesting schedule extension for preparation of the acknowledgement letter because: (1) since the petitioner requested immediate actions on the part of the NRC, a substantive review must be done in order to write the acknowledgement letter; (2) the petitioner has interwoven the issues of the petition and his allegations to Region IV the transcript of the February 18, 1992, meeting will have to be reviewed in detail and (3) close coordination will be required between MRR, Region IV, and OCG in order to develop a thorough and comprehensive agency response.

For the above reasons, we request EDO due date of April 10, 1992 (NRR mailroom date of April 8, 1992).

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