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SUBJECT: PLANT PERFORMANCE REVIEW (PPR) - SEQUOYAH

Dear Mr. Kingsley:

On September 14, 1995, the Regional staff completed the semiannual Plant Performance Review (PPR) of Sequoyah. The staff conducts these reviews for all operating nuclear power plants to develop an integrated understanding of safety performance. The results are used by regional management to facilitate planning and allocation of inspection resources. The PPR for Sequoyah involved the participation of all technical divisions in evaluating inspection results and safety performance information for the period of January 8, 1995, through September 2, 1995. PPRs provide regional management with a current summary of licensee performance and serve as inputs to the NRC Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) and senior management meeting (SMM) reviews.

This letter advises you of our planned inspection effort resulting from the Sequoyah PPR review. It is provided to minimize the resource impact on your staff and to allow for scheduling conflicts and personnel availability to be resolved in advance of inspector arrival onsite. The enclosure details our inspection plan for the next six months. The rationale or basis for each inspection outside the core inspection program is provided so that you are aware of the reason for emphasis in these program areas. Resident inspections are not listed due to their ongoing and continuous nature.

We will inform you of any changes to the inspection plan. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. M. Lesser at (404) 331-0342.

Sincerely,

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SEQUOYAH NUCLEAR PLANT SIX MONTH INSPECTION PLAN

INSPECTION	TITLE	# OF INSPECTORS	INSPECTION DATES	TYPE OF INSPECTION
IP 62703 IP 61726	Maintenance Observation, Surveillance Observation	1	10/95, 1/96, 4/96 (1 week each)	Core inspection provided by Region II inspectors due to reduced resident staff.
IP 71001	Operator Licensing Requalification Program Evaluation	3	11/27/95 - 12/1/95 12/4/95 - 12/8/95	Core and Regional Initiative. Operator Requalification inspection, and review of Operation's management oversight associated with operator training JPMs.
IP 93808	Integrated Performance Assessment Process (IPAP)	5	11/27/95 - 12/1/95 12/4/95 - 12/8/95	Special Team Inspection.
IP 82701	Emergency Preparedness inspection	1	1/8-12/96	Core inspection.
	Operational Safeguards Response Evaluation	4	1/10/96 - 1/13/96	Special Team inspection - To confirm adequacy of security measures at the site.
IP 40500	Site Improvement Plan progress.	2	2/96 (1 week)	Regional Initiative - Site Improvement Plan progress and activities associated with secondary plant reliability study due to balance of plant equipment failures.

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IP 71707	Plant Operations	1	3/96	Regional Initiative - To review effectiveness of licensee management oversight of field operations. This inspection to be conducted by the Resident staff, and will supplement normal Operational inspection activities.
IP 81700	Safeguards inspection	1	3/96 (1 week)	Core inspection.
IP 81700	Safeguards inspection	1	To be determined	Regional Initiative - To review effectiveness of implementation of new security upgrade.
IP 37550	Engineering	3	3/96 (2 weeks)	Regional Initiative - Arrowhart contactors, engineering support to maintenance, fire protection, activities associated with generic communications, to determine trend from past performance.
IP 40500	Root cause effectiveness	2	3/96 (1 week)	Regional Initiative - To review effectiveness of root cause and corrective actions associated with recent plant transients, to review trend from past performance.

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IP 62703	Review of on-line maintenance activities	1	4/96 (1 week)	Regional Initiative - Prior to Unit 2 Spring refueling outage, to determine appropriateness of licensee considerations.
IP 37550	Engineering	3	4/96 (1 week)	Core inspection.
IP 92902 IP 92903	Service Water Operational Performance Inspection Followup	2	Spring 96	Special Team inspection followup.
IP 84750, 86750	Radiological Effluent and Chemistry inspection	1	4/96 (1 week)	Core inspection.
IP 83750	Facilities Radiation Protection	1	4/96 (1 week)	Core inspection.