

P. O. Box 101, New Hill, NC 27562 October 5, 1984

Mr. James P. O'Reilly United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region II 101 Marietta Street, Northwest (Suite 2900) Atlanta, Georgia 30323

CAROLINA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY SHEARON HAARIS NUCLEAR POWER PLANT 1986 - 900,000 KW - UNIT 1 6.9 kV SWITCHGEAR CIRCUIT BREAKERS, ITEM 186

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

On September 7, 1984, Mr. N. J. Chiangi notified the NRC (Mr. A. Hardin) of a potentially reportable item per the provisions of 10CFR50.55(e) and 10CFR, Part 21. The NRC was informed that inadequate clearances at the sides of Siemens-Allis 6.9 kV circuit breakers and switchgear cubicles had resulted in problems such as bent terminal lugs and chafed wiring.

CP&L is currently awaiting a response from Siemens-Allis on their review and recommendation for corrective action. We will complete our evaluation of this item upon receipt and review of Siemens-Allis' response. It is projected that a report on the reportability of this item will be issued by November 30. 1984.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Yours very truly,

R. M. Parsons

Project General Manager

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cc: Messrs. G. Maxwell/R. Prevatte (NRC-SHNPP) Mr. R. C. DeYoung (NRC)

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