

May 6, 1992

Southern Nuclear Operating Company Inc.
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: FARLEY REQUALIFICATION EXAMINATION REPORT - 50-348/92-300

This refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) administered requalification examinations led by C. Payne during the weeks of March 23 and March 30, 1992. These examinations were administered to employees of your company who currently hold licenses to operate the Joseph M. Farley Nuclear Plant. At the conclusion of the site visit, preliminary findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the Examination Report, Enclosure 1.

A Requalification Program Evaluation Report is included as Enclosure 2. This evaluation report finds that the Farley requalification program remains satisfactory based upon the evaluation criteria of NUREG 1021, Examiner Standards. Included in this evaluation are any identified operator weaknesses or program areas needing improvement. These concerns have been discussed with your training staff. A Simulator Fidelity Report is provided in this report as Enclosure 3. A copy of the written examination questions and answer keys is included in this report as Enclosure 4.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a) of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this examination, please contact us.

Sincerely,

(Original signed by T. A. Peebles)

Thomas A. Peebles, Chief
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Enclosures.

1. Examination Report No. 50-348/92-300
2. Requalification Program Evaluation Report
3. Simulator Fidelity Report
4. Written Examination(s) and Answer Key(s)
(Document Control Desk Only)

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