

October 6, 1995

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE PNO-II-95-054B

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information is as initially received without verification or evaluation, and is basically all that is known by Region II staff (Atlanta, Georgia) on this date.

Facility	Licensee Emergency Classification
Southern Nuclear Operating Co. Farley 1 2 Ashford, Alabama Dockets: 50-348, 50-364	Notification of Unusual Event Alert Site Area Emergency General Emergency X Not Applicable

Subject: REGION II STANDDOWN FROM HURRICANE OPAL

Region II Incident Response Center's monitoring of Hurricane Opal was terminated at 1:27 p.m. on October 5, 1995.

Region II and the NRC Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation discussed offsite preparedness with the States of Alabama and Georgia and the Federal Emergency Management Agency on October 5, 1995. Farley Nuclear Power Plant offsite emergency capabilities were considered adequate when A/C power was restored to one siren and portable generators provided to power two additional sirens within the 10-mile EPZ.

Farley Unit 2 commenced restart at 7:29 p.m. CDT, on October 5, 1995. The unit was critical at 8:02 p.m. CDT. At present, Unit 2 is in Mode 2 making preparations to return to power operations.

This information is current from the Senior Resident Inspector as of 10:45 a.m. EDT, on October 6, 1995.

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