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Director, Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Mr. S. A. Varga

Joseph M. Farley Nuclear Plant - Units 1 and 2
Proposed Administrative Technical Specification Change

Gentlemen:

As a result of recent questions relative to the June 25, 1984 proposed administrative technical specification change, Alabama Power Company hereby clarifies the original intent of that proposed change relative to the Assistant Plant Manager, Plant Support.

It is Alabama Power Company's position, as stated in the June 25, 1984 letter, that the addition of an Assistant Plant Manager, Plant Support provides greater freedom for the Plant Manager and Assistant Plant Manager, Operations from the administrative and non-operations related responsibilities of the Farley Nuclear Plant. This greater freedom allows more management attention to be focused on the safe operation of the two Farley Nuclear Plant units and therefore enhance safety.

The Assistant Plant Manager, Plant Support position has been established with the recognition that in the absence of the Plant Manager, the Assistant Plant Manager, Plant Support may occasionally be delegated the Plant Manager's responsibilities. This means that prior to being delegated these responsibilities, the Assistant Plant Manager, Plant Support will be fully qualified to fulfill the responsibilities of the Plant Manager per ANSI N18.1-1971 and FSAR 13.1.3.1.1 with the added stipulation that Emergency Director Training has been completed.

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Attached is revised Technical Specification Figure 6.2-2 for Units 1 and 2 to reflect the above clarification. This clarification is a non-substantive change to the June 25, 1984 proposed technical specification change. The necessary changes to the FSAR have been initiated, pursuant to 10CFR50.59, to reflect the proposed technical specification change and this clarification. The appropriate procedures will be modified to indicate this clarification of operation responsibilities after receipt of the approved license amendment.

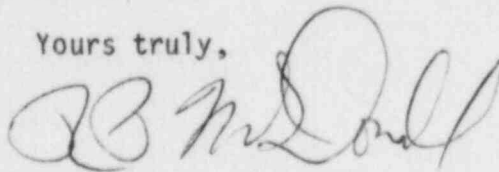
This clarification does not change the original Alabama Power Company conclusion that no significant hazards consideration is involved in this change.

This clarification is a supplement to the June 25, 1984 proposed technical specification change and as a result, the initial License Application Fee has been paid and the charges for NRC review will be accrued in accordance with 10CFR170.21.

In accordance with 10CFR50.90, three (3) signed originals and 40 copies of this supplement are enclosed. Pursuant to 10CFR50.91b(1), a copy of this supplement has been provided to Mr. Dan Tucker, the designated representative of the State of Alabama.

If you have any questions, please advise.

Yours truly,

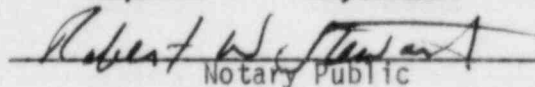


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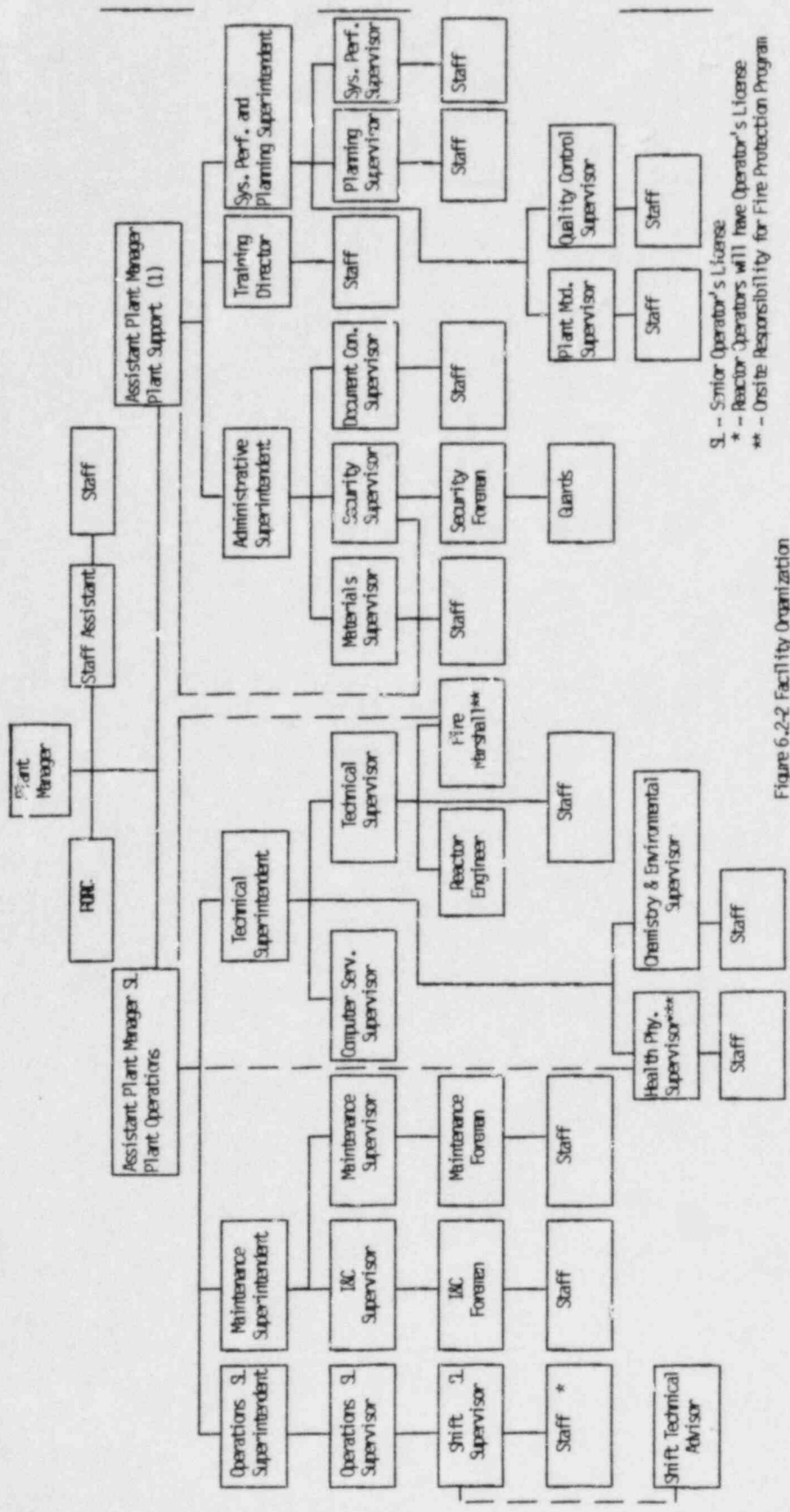
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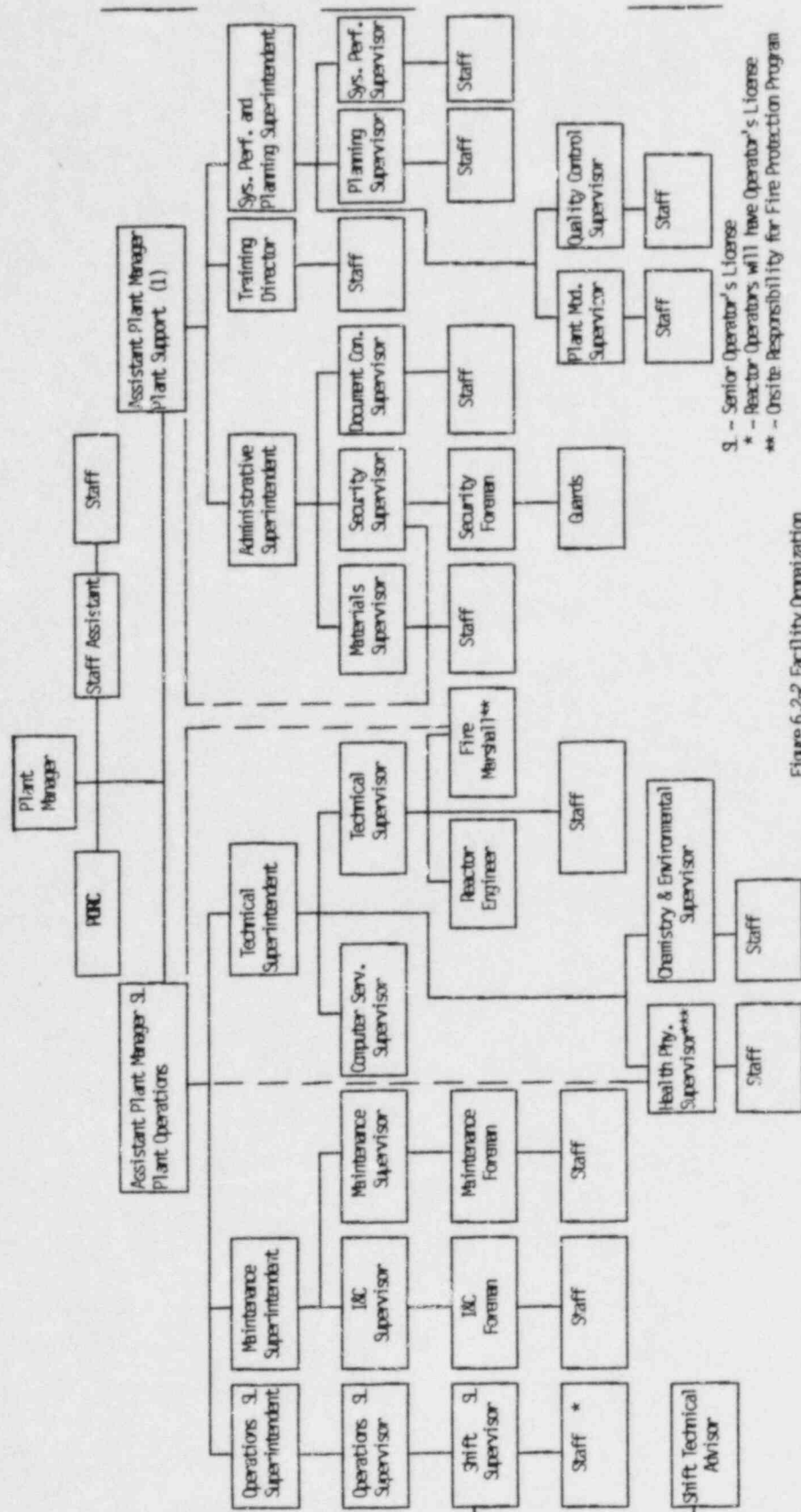


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 ** - Onsite Responsibility for Fire Protection Program

Figure 6.2-2 Facility Organization

*** In routine matters, the Health Physics Supervisor reports directly to the Technical Superintendant, in matters of radiation policy determination, interpretation or implementation (Based upon the Health Physics Supervisor's judgment) the Health Physics Supervisor may report directly to the Assistant Plant Manager.

(1) The person filling this position may act as the Plant Manager, provided this person meets the requirements of ANSI N18.1-1971 Section 4.2.1, FSAR Section 13.1.3.1.1 and has completed Emergency Director Training.



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*** In routine matters, the Health Physics Supervisor reports directly to the Technical Superintendent, in matters of radiation policy determination, interpretation or implementation (Based upon the Health Physics Supervisor's judgment) the Health Physics Supervisor may report directly to the Assistant Plant Manager.

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