

March 15, 1984  
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Mr James P. O'Reilly  
Regional Administrator, Region II  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
101 Marietta Street, Suite 2900  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

Re: St. Lucie Unit 1  
Docket No. 50-335  
Inspection Report 83-08

Our letter L-83-598, dated December 21, 1983, stated that we would put in effect an In-Service Inspection (ISI) Organization Manual by March 15, 1984. The purpose of this letter is to provide a status of our efforts in the development of the Manual, and our plans for its issuance as discussed previously with your staff.

Status of ISI Manual

- a) The ISI Manual has been written and issued for comments from all affected FPL Departments. Comments are being received and resolution is in process.
- b) The FPL Quality Procedure (QP) required to implement the manual is in the final stages of development.
- c) The procedures governing conduct of Eddy Current Testing have been approved and are presently being implemented.

Our efforts to resolve corporate comments on the ISI Manual, and finalize both the Manual and QP have been hampered by the high level of activity by ISI personnel in other areas. These areas include support of the ISI of the St. Lucie Unit 1 Core Support Barrel, Eddy Current Testing of the St. Lucie Unit 1 and Turkey Point Unit 3 Steam Generators and the update of the Turkey Point Units 3 and 4 10-year ISI program and Inservice Pump and Valve Testing program.

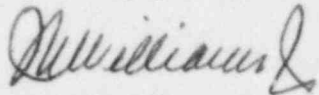
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Our efforts in all areas of ISI activities except Eddy Current Testing are being conducted by qualified vendors, and performed under their approved QA programs. The March 15, 1984 commitment date was based on our anticipation of implementing the Manual during Spring 1984 Turkey Point Unit 4 Refueling Outage. However, due to the previously mentioned work load by our ISI personnel, implementation has been postponed until the Fall, 1984 St. Lucie Unit 2 Refueling Outage.

Therefore, we now plan on finalizing the ISI Manual by July 1, 1984, and completing all necessary implementing procedures by October 1, 1984.

Very truly yours,



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