

Florida Power

January 25, 1985 3F0185-19

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. Darrell G. Eisenhut, Director
Division of Licensing

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

Subject:

Crystal River Unit 3 Docket No. 50-302

Operating License No. DPR-72

Certification of Compliance to 10 CFR 50.49, Environmental Qualification of Electric Equipment Important to Safety for

Nuclear Power Plants (Generic Letter 84-24)

Dear Sir:

Generic Letter 84-24, dated December 27, 1984, requires licensees of operating reactors to provide certifications related to environmental qualification of equipment. Florida Power Corporation (FPC) has reviewed the present status of equipment qualification activities for Crystal River 3 (CR-3) and the following certifications can be made:

- a. FPC has in place and is implementing an environmental qualification program that will satisfy the requirements of 10 CFR 50.49 within the currently approved schedule for the plant except that:
 - Certain post-accident monitoring equipment as provided for in Revision 3 of Regulatory Guide 1.97 will not be replaced or upgraded until Refuel VI (currently scheduled for September, 1986);
 - 2) Since Refuel V (the second major outage after promulgation of the rule) is scheduled to start on March 9, 1985, all necessary modifications will be complete before the end of Refuel V, rather than by March 31, 1985 as required by the rule. When CR-3 returns to operation after March 31, 1985, necessary modifications except for those covered by I) will be complete.

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- b. Upon completion of the modifications which are planned for the March 1985 outage, CR-3 will have at least one path to safe shutdown using fully qualified equipment. Justifications for continued operation (JCO's) have been submitted for equipment not fully qualified in the interim.
- c. All other equipment within the scope of 10 CFR 50.49 will be fully qualified upon completion of the Refuel V modifications. JCO's have been submitted for equipment which is not fully qualified in the interim.

The certification in a, b, and c made above include consideration of the IE Bulletin and Information Notices listed in Generic Letter 84-24; specifically, the impact of IE Bulletin 82-04 and IE Information Notices 82-11, 82-52, 83-45, 83-72, 84-23, and 84-44 has been considered and addressed in the above certifications. Information Notices 84-47 and 84-57 have been reviewed and necessary actions scheduled. Information Notice 84-68 addresses Target Rock valves. An inspection is scheduled during Refuel V. Information Notice 84-78 has not yet been reviewed officially, but since it addresses terminal blocks and FPC is replacing terminal blocks with fully qualified equipment, the Information Notice should have no impact.

Sincerely,

G. R. Westafer

Manager, Nuclear Operations Licensing and Fuel Management

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

G. R. Westafer states that he is the Manager, Nuclear Operations Licensing and Fuel Management for Florida Power Corporation; that he is authorized on the part of said company to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the information attached hereto; and that all such statements made and matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

G. R. Westafer

Manager, Nuclear Operations Licensing and Fuel Management

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County above named, this 25th day of January, 1985.

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Notary Public, State of Florida at Large,

My Commission Expires: November 19, 1986