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October 4, 1984

Georgia Power Company  
ATTN: Mr. R. J. Kelly  
Executive Vice President  
P. O. Box 4545  
Atlanta, GA 30302

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: MEETING SUMMARY - VOGTLE UNIT 1 DOCKET NUMBER 50-424

This refers to the meeting held in Bethesda, Maryland, with members of your staff at our request on September 27, 1984, to discuss the eligibility requirements for Georgia Power Company employees to be licensed at plants Summer and Farley.

It is our opinion that the meeting was beneficial and has provided for a better understanding of the eligibility requirements and the appropriate documentation of satisfying the requirements. Your cooperation with us is appreciated. In accordance with Section 2.790 of NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and enclosure will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning these matters, we will be pleased to discuss them.

Sincerely,

(Original signed by HCDance)

Hugh C. Dance, Chief  
Reactor Projects Branch 2  
Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosure:  
Meeting Summary

cc w/encl:  
G. Bockhold, Jr.

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V. C. Summer & J. M. Farley  
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State of South Carolina  
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ENCLOSURE

MEETING SUMMARY

Licensee: Georgia Power Company  
Facility: Vogtle 1  
Docket No.: 50-424  
SUBJECT: ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES TO BE LICENSED AT PLANTS  
SUMMER AND FARLEY

On September 27, 1984, representatives of the Georgia Power Company met with the NRC in Bethesda, Maryland to discuss the eligibility requirements that must be satisfied by Georgia Power Company employees applying for licenses at V. C. Summer and J. M. Farley Nuclear Plants. The attendance list is attached as Attachment A to this summary. The Georgia Power Company Off-Site Licensing Program Summary is attached as Attachment B to this summary. The meeting was held at the request of the NRC.

Georgia Power Company representatives described the program that they have established to provide operational experience for future Vogtle operators. Under this program, eight prospective Vogtle operators would be licensed by the NRC as senior reactor operators and serve in that capacity at plants Summer and Farley. Georgia Power Company representatives described the qualifications of these eight candidates and representatives of South Carolina Electric and Gas Company and Alabama Power Company described the training they would receive at Summer and Farley. NRC representatives noted that the candidates did not have sufficient operating experience to meet the NRC license eligibility criteria normally applied to candidates for SRO licenses at operating reactors. Georgia Power Company representatives agreed to support the applications for these candidates by submitting written justification to NRC Region II for waiver of these eligibility criteria. They also agreed to submit certifications by South Carolina Electric and Gas Company and Alabama Power Company that these individuals would not serve as shift supervisors. NRC representatives reaffirmed their support for this Georgia Power Company program.

Attachments:

- A. Attendance List
- B. Georgia Power Company Off-Site  
Licensing Program Summary

ATTACHMENT A

ATTENDANCE LIST

Attendance at the Georgia Power Company - NRC Meeting on September 27, 1984, at the NRC office in Bethesda, Maryland.

Alabama Power Company

Williams, Lee S., Training Director

Georgia Power Company

Badgett, John J., Manager of Nuclear Training

Bockhold, George, Jr., General Manager of Vogtle Nuclear Operations  
Department

Rushton, Paul D., Superintendent of Nuclear Training

South Carolina Electric and Gas Company

Matlosz, Terry L., Nuclear Operation Supervisor

NRC

Beckham, Don H., Chief, Operator Licensing Branch

Gibson, Albert F., Chief, Operations Branch

Koontz, Jennifer, Licensee Qualifications Branch

Miller, Melanie, Project Manager, Vogtle

Thompson, Hugh L., Director, Division of Human Factors Safety

ATTACHMENT B

GEORGIA POWER COMPANY

OFF - SITE

LICENSING

PROGRAM

GEORGIA POWER COMPANY IS PURSUING THE  
OFF - SITE LICENSING PROGRAM

- \* DESIRE IMPROVED OPERATIONAL EXPERIENCE ON  
SHIFT
  - 6 MOS. HOT PARTICIPATION EXPERIENCE
  - LICENSED OPERATOR EXPERIENCE
  
- \* PHASING OUT OF THE SHIFT ADVISER CONCEPT
  
- \* INCREASED REGULATORY ACTIVITY REGARDING  
OPERATOR EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS

## ELEMENTS OF THE PROGRAM

- \* ALL CANDIDATES HAVE SIGNIFICANT NUCLEAR RELATED EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING
- \* ALL CANDIDATES COMPLETE SRO TRAINING
  - FUNDAMENTALS
  - RESEARCH REACTOR STARTUPS
  - PLANT SPECIFIC SYSTEM DESIGN
  - PLANT SPECIFIC HOT PARTICIPATION
  - PLANT SPECIFIC SIMULATOR
- \* INCLUDES ALL ISSUES ADDRESSED IN GENERIC LETTER 84-10
- \* OBTAIN LICENSES AND SPEND ONE YEAR AS OPERATING CONTROL ROOM SRO

## QUALIFICATIONS SUMMARY

- \* ALL 8 CANDIDATES HOLD BS DEGREES, 6 OF WHICH ARE ENGINEERING DEGREES
- \* ALL 8 CANDIDATES HAD COMPLETED SRO TRAINING PROGRAMS PRIOR TO BEING SELECTED FOR THIS PROGRAM
- \* ALL 8 CANDIDATES HAVE SPENT TIME AT AN OPERATING COMMERCIAL POWER PLANT IN VARIOUS CAPACITIES
  - ENGINEERING (4)
  - STA (3)
  - CHEM/RAD (1)
  - TRAINING (2)
- \* TWO OF THE CANDIDATES HAVE BEEN NRC INSTRUCTOR CERTIFIED AT PLANT VOGTLE
- \* NUCLEAR RELATED EXPERIENCE VARIES FROM
  - 36 to 80 MONTHS
  - 44 MONTHS ON THE AVERAGE