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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
101 Marietta Street, NW, Suite 2900
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Re: Oconee Nuclear Station
Docket Nos. 50-269, -270, -287

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

A Special Report on non-functional fire barriers dated December 14, 1984 was submitted pursuant to Oconee Nuclear Station Technical Specification. This report concerned fire barrier penetrations that could not be restored to functional status within seven days, and describes an incident which is considered to be of no significance with respect to its effect on the health and safety of the public.

After further review, it was determined that the statement "installation procedures have been reviewed and upgraded to assure proper installation in the future", on page Two, paragraph Three, was in error. Actually, the installation procedures were reviewed and found to be adequate; therefore, these procedures were not "upgraded". However, the fire barrier inspection procedure was reviewed and determined to require upgrading to clarify various inspection requirements.

Very truly yours,

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