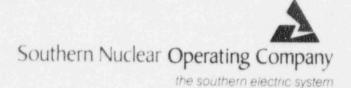
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> Joseph M. Farley Nuclear Plant - Unit 2 Proposed L* Technical Specification Amendment

Ladies and Gentlemen:

By letter dated April 22, 1996, Southern Nuclear Operating Company requested a technical specification amendment to use the L* tubesheet region plugging criterion at Farley Unit 2. This amendment request provided the basis for a one cycle L* criterion requested on April 23, 1996. Accompanying the April 22, 1996, submittal was report NSD-JLH-6114, "L* Criterion for Farley Unit 2," and Westinghouse letter number NSD-NRC-96-4695. The Westinghouse letter stated that the requirements of 10 CFR 2.790 concerning proprietary and non-proprietary copies and the accompanying affidavit would be met within four weeks.

Report NSD-JLH-6114, Revision 1, "L* Criterion for Farley Unit 2" (Proprietary), and report NSD-JLH-6136, "L* Criterion for Farley Unit 2" (Non-Proprietary), are attached, along with Westinghouse authorization letter CAW-96-960, accompanying affidavit, Proprietary Information Notice, and Copyright Notice. Since report NSD-JLH-6114, Revision 1 contains information proprietary to Westinghouse Electric Corporation, it is supported by an affidavit signed by Westinghouse, the owner of the information. The affidavit sets forth the basis on which the information may be withheld from public disclosure by the Commission and addresses with specificity the considerations listed in paragraph (b)(4) of Section 2.790 of the Commission's regulations. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the information which is proprietary to Westinghouse be withheld from public disclosure in accordance with 10 CFR Section 2.790 of the Commission's regulations. Correspondence with respect to the copyright or proprietary aspects of the items listed above or the supporting Westinghouse affidavit should reference CAW-96-960 and should be addressed to N. J. Liparulo, Manager of Nuclear pol Charge: At End Safety Regulatory and Licensing Activities, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, P. O. Box 355, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15230-0355.

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Should you have any questions, please advise.

Respectfully submitted,

SOUTHERN NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY

Dave Morey

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3 - day of May

My Commission Expires: June 24, 1997

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Attachments

CC: Mr. S. D. Ebneter, Region II Administrator

Mr. B. L. Siegel, NRR Senior Project Manager Mr. T. M. Ross, FNP Sr. Resident Inspector

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