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SUBJECT: 1996 Annual Report on Safety Relief Challenges for the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station

Gentlemen:

This represents the 1996 Annual Report on Safety Relief Challenges for the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station (PBAPS) as required by the TMI Action Plan, Item II. K.3, and by PBAPS Technical Requirement Manual Appendix A Item 5.0 R17. During 1996 there were no automatic actuations of the Main Steam Safety or Relief Valves in response to high reactor pressure.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call.

Sincerely,

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