

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20565-0001

June 27, 1997

EA 97-099

Charles M. Dugger, Vice President Operations - Waterford Entergy Operations, Inc. Post Office Box B Killona, Louisiana 70066

Dear Mr. Dugger:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated June 9, 1997 and your check for \$55,000 in payment for the civil penalty imposed by NRC in a letter dated May 9, 1997. Your corrective actions will be reviewed during future inspections. We note, however, that your response did not directly address what corrective actions you are taking to preclude such nonconservative operability and licensing decisions. We assume this concern is being addressed as part of your True North program. If our understanding is incorrect, please contact Pat Gwynn, Region IV.

Sincerely,

James Lieberman, Director
Office of Enforcement

Docket No. 50-382 License No. NPF-38

cc: E. Merschoff, RIV

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