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Subject: Crystal River Unit 3  
Docket No. 50-302  
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Vital Area Access Computer Upgrade

Dear Sir:

This letter clarifies Florida Power Corporation's (FPC) commitment in our May 7, 1987 letter, to install a new security computer for the vital area access control system. The new computer, to be installed during 1988, will be a replacement for the present RUSCO MAC-540 controller and will be compatible with the remainder of the existing vital area access control system.

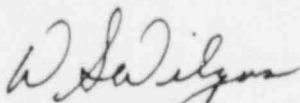
The new computer will initially include two computer terminals, one for the Central Alarm Station (CAS) and one for the Secondary Alarm Station (SAS). The new computer will have the capability to support up to seven video display terminals. Each alarm station will be notified of system and individual status changes, since the information from both CRT's will be displayed in both locations. The new computer is expected to be more reliable and to improve operator flexibility and functionality.

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During 1989, Florida Power will evaluate all of our security equipment, including perimeter intrusion detection, CCTV surveillance, and vital area access control. As part of this study, FPC will evaluate the need for a completely new vital area access control system. A scope and schedule for this evaluation will be provided by December, 1988.

Sincerely,



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