



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
REGION II
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ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30323-0199

APRIL 13, 1994

Mr. John Latimer
301 North Lee St.
Bishopville, SC 29010

Dear Mr. Latimer:

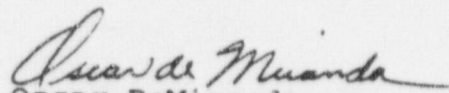
SUBJECT: RII-93-A-0125 - QUESTIONABLE ENGINEERING PRACTICES

This refers to our letter to you August 13, 1993, in which we advised you that we have initiated actions to develop and examine the facts and circumstances of your concern and that we would forward you a copy of our findings regarding the concern you expressed related to engineering practices at the Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant.

We are continuing to pursue this matter. If you have any questions or if you want to know the status of our review, you can contact me at (404) 331-4193 or by mail at PO Box 845, Atlanta, GA 30301.

We appreciate you bringing this matter to our attention.

Sincerely,


Oscar DeMiranda
Senior Allegation Coordinator
Enforcement and Investigation
Coordination Staff

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EICS ROUTING SHEET

SUBJECT: 2-93-040

TO:

O. DEMIRANDA

A. IGNATONIS

L. SLACK

B. URYC

L. WATSON

ACTION: → →

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FILE WITH CASE NO.

CORRECTION REQUIRED

PLEASE PROVIDE COMMENTS

PLEASE ANSWER THIS

INFORMATION

NOTE AND RETURN

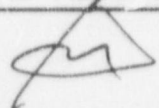
YOUR ACTION REQUIRED

PER CONVERSATION

FILE WITH

REMARKS:

1) Make copy (Original to AFile.
2) Staff to DRP for review: TO: VERZELL
w/suspense of
3/28/94



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April 16, 1994

INDEX OF CONCERNS

ROBINSON

RII-93-A-0125

NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	ACTION
1/	ALLEGED TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT AS A RESULT OF COMPLAINTS TO THE NRC RELATING TO EROSION/CORROSION PROGRAM.	LTR DTD 5/25/93	OI INVEST 2-93-040

CLOSURE:

2/	POOR ENGINEERING BY CP&L CORPORATE ENGINEERING RELATING TO DESIGN OF NEW AND REPLACEMENT SYSTEMS. THIS LACK OF ADEQUATE DESIGN RESULTED IN PREMATURE FAILURE OR REPLACEMENT DUE TO WEAR IN NUMEROUS CASES. CHECK THE REPLACEMENT HISTORY ON THESE LINES TO VERIFY POOR DESIGN 1. EXCESS MAIN STEAM FROM MSRs TO CONDENSER AND NO. 6 HEATERS 2. BLOWDOWN TO CONDENSER 3. FEEDWATER TO CONDENSER 4. HEATER DRAIN FROM MOPS-SCRUPS TO HEATER DRAIN TANK B	LTR DTD 5/25/93 AND NOTE RCVD 8/30/94	_____ _____ _____ _____
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CLOSURE:

3/	LACK OF PIPING DRAWINGS	LTR DTD 5/25/93	_____ _____ _____
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CLOSURE:

4/	INCOMPLETE AND INACCURATE DRAWINGS	LTR DTD 5/25/93	_____ _____ _____
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CLOSURE:

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5/	INCCOMPLETE WATER CHEMISTRY HISTORY	LTR DTD 5/25/93	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
CLOSURE:			
6/	UNKNOWN OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS OF VARIOUS SYSTEMS	LTR DTD 5/25/93	