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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Waterford 3 SES Docket No. 50-382 License No. NPF-38

Response to Generic Letter 88-03

- References: 1. LP&L letter W3P86-0036 to R.D. Martin, NRC from K.W. Cook dated February 26, 1986, subject: IE Bulletin 85-01.
 - 2. LP&L letter W3P86-1949 to R.D. Martin from K.W. Cook dated August 22, 1986, subject: NRC Inspection Report 86-13.

This reply to the subject Generic Letter provides the confirmation requested regarding implementation and maintenance of procedures to reduce the probability of Auxiliary Feedwater Pump failure due to steam binding. (NOTE: This is comparable to the Emergency Feedwater (EFW) system at Waterford 3.)

As discussed in the referenced LP&L letters, Waterford 3 has installed surface mounted thermometers on the EFW pump discharge lines and has implemented procedures specifying monitoring once per shift of these thermometers and corrective actions should the temperatures reach certain limits. Our actions have been reviewed by the NRC Staff and determined to be adequate resolution to this issue as documented in Inspection Reports 86-16 and 86-17. These procedural commitments are currently in place and are maintained by the Waterford 3 Commitment Management System which will ensure our compliance with these commitments in the future.

This response is submitted as requested under affidavit pursuant to 10CFR50.54(f).

> Very truly yours, Q. f. Buch

Nuclear Safety & Regulatory Affairs

Acting Manager

RFB: FSP: GEW: ssf

Attachment: Affidavit

cc: R.D. Martin, J.A. Calvo, D.L. Wigginton, NRC Resident Inspectors Office, E.L. Blake, W.M. Stevenson

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the matter of	,
Louisiana Power & Light Company Waterford 3 Steam Electric Station) Docket No. 50-382
AFFIDAVIT	

R.F. Burski, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says that he is Nuclear Safety and Regulatory Affairs Acting Manager, Nuclear Operations of Louisiana Power & Light Company; that he is duly authorized to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the attached response to Generic Letter 88-93; that he is familiar with the content thereof; and that the matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

R.F. Burski
Nuclear Safety & Regulatory Affairs
Acting Manager
Nuclear Operations

STATE OF LOUISIANA)
) ss
PARISH OF ORLEANS)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the Parish and State above named this 5th day of April , 1988.

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Notary Public Propose

My Commission expires at death