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NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Alabama Power Company Farley Nuclear Plant Docket No. 50-348 and 50-364 License Nos. NPF-2 and NPF-8

During the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection conducted on March 21-24, 1988, violations of NRC requirements were identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (1988), the violations are listed below:

10 CFR 73.21(a) requires protection of safeguards information against unauthorized disclosure. Information to be protected includes: (b)(1) (vii) documents and other matter that contain lists or location of certain safety-related equipment explicitly identified in the documents as vital for the purposes of physical protection, as contained in physical security plans; (b)(3)(i) portions of safeguards inspection reports, evaluations, audits, or investigations that contain details of the licensee's physical security system or that disclose uncorrected defects, weaknesses, or vulnerabilities in the system.

10 CFR 73.21(d)(2) requires that safeguards information shall be stored in a locked security container while unattended.

Farley Nuclear Plant (FNP) Procedure AP-4, dated February 19, 1987, Revision 12, states in paragraph 6.1.1, safeguards information will be stored in a locked security storage container when unattended. The procedure, additionally states, in paragraph 6.2.1, that safeguards information is required to be under the control of an authorized individual while it is in use to preclude unauthorized disclosure to persons who do not have a need to know.

Contrary to the above, on February 25, 1988, a Region II Nuclear Regulatory inspector found a cabinet containing safeguards information insecure and unattended.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement III).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Alabama Power Company is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, DC 20555, with a copy to the Regional Administrator, Region II, and a copy to the NRC Resident Inspector, Farley Nuclear Plant, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice. This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include [for each violation]: (1) admission or denial of the violation, (2) the reason for the violation if admitted, (3) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved, (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Where good cause discussion or taken and the results achieved is a supervised of the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and the results achieved is a supervised to the second taken and ta

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consideration will be given to extending the response time. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order may be issued to show cause why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken.

Security or safeguards information should be submitted as an enclosure to facilitate withholding it from public disclosure as required by 10 CFR 2.790(d) or 10 CFR 73.21.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

William E. Cline, Chief Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards Branch Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards

Dated at Atlanta, Georgia this 19 day of April 1988

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