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Docket No. 50-325 and 50-324 License No. DPR-71 and DPR-62

Carolina Power and Light Company ATTN: Mr. E. E. Utiey Senior Executive Vice President Power Supply and Engineering and Construction P. O. Box 1551 Raleigh, NC 27602

Gentlemen:

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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-325/88-15 AND 50-324/88-15

This refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection conducted by William H. Ruland on April 1 - 30, 1988. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Brunswick facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed inspection report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

The inspection findings indicate that certain activities appeared to violate NRC requirements. The violation described in the enclosed Inspection Report is under consideration for escalated enforcement action. Accordingly, no Notice of Violation is being issued at this time, and no response to this letter is required. However, please be advised that the number and characterization of violations described in the enclosed Inspection Report may change as a result of further NRC review. An Enforcement Conference to discuss this violation has been scheduled for May 27, 1988. You will be advised by separate correspondence of the results of our deliberations on this matter. Also, in one instance, because all of the criteria for categorization of licensee-identified violations were met, the violation is not being cited. The details pertaining to the licensee-identified violation are described in paragraph 9.a. of the enclosed Inspection Report.

Your attention is invited to unresolved items identified in the inspection report. These matters will be pursued during future inspections.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

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Sincerely,

J. Nelson Grace Regional Administrator

Enclosures: 1. NRC Inspection Report 2. U-2 Startup SOE

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