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Ladies/Gentlemen:

DOCKETS 50-266 AND 50-301 LICENSEE EVENT REPORT 1998-016-00 REFUELING SYSTEM INTERLOCK TESTING INADEQUATE POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2

Enclosed is Licensee Event Report 1998-017-00 for Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2. This report is provided in accordance with 10 CFR 50.73(a)(2)(i)(B), an "operation prohibited by the plant's Technical Specifications." This report describes an evaluation of the surveillance testing of the refueling system interlocks and safety features which determined that the existing testing procedure was not adequate to verify the refueling system interlocks as described in the FSAR. This failure to test in accordance with the FSAR description was determined to constitute a missed surveillance.

Please contact us if you require additional information.

Sincerely,

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