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PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION - NOT FOR PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

April 22, 1976

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE --- PNO-76-77

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Facility:

St. Lucie 1 (DN 50-335)

Florida Power and Light Company

Subject:

INITIAL CRITICALITY

Initial criticality was achieved in the St. Lucie 1 reactor at 8:30 a.m. on April 22, 1976. Region II inspectors are at the site and report that the control element (rod) configuration and reactor coolant boron concentration were in close agreement with the predicted values.

Region II, Atlanta, Georgia received notification of this event by telephone from Region II onsite inspections.

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