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SUBJECT: OCONEE NUCLEAR STATION, UNITS 1, 2 AND 3 RE: ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS (TAC NOS. MA7160, MA7161, AND MA7162)

Dear Mr. McCollum:

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment Nos. 308 , 308 , and 308 to Facility Operating Licenses DPR-38, DPR-47, and DPR-55, respectively, for the Oconee Nuclear Station, Units 1, 2, and 3. The amendments consist of changes to the Technical Specifications in response to your application dated November 17, 1999.

The amendments revise Technical Specification 5.5.10, Section 6.e to modify the definition of steam generator repair limit for axial tube imperfections detected between the primary side surface of the tube sheet clad and the end of the tube. This action supersedes the Notice of Enforcement Discretion that was issued by the staff on November 17, 1999.

A copy of the related Safety Evaluation is also enclosed. A Notice of Issuance will be included in the Commission's biweekly *Federal Register* notice.

Sincerely,
Original signed by:

David E. LaBarge, Senior Project Manager, Section 1
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Docket Nos. 50-269, 50-270, and 50-287

Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 308 to DPR-38
2. Amendment No. 308 to DPR-47
3. Amendment No. 308 to DPR-55
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