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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-285/99-13

Dear Mr. Gambhir:

This refers to the inspection conducted on October 3, 1999 through November 13, 1999, at the Fort Calhoun Station facility. The results were discussed with Mr. Solymossy and other members of your staff. The enclosed report presents the results of this inspection.

The inspection was an examination of activities conducted under your license as they relate to safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations of activities, and interviews with personnel. Specifically, this inspection focused on reactor safety.

Based on the results of this inspection, the NRC identified two issues which were categorized as having low risk significance. These issues have been entered into your corrective action program. One of these issues involved a noncited violation of regulatory requirements. These issues are listed in the summary of findings and are discussed in the report. If you contest the noncited violation, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, DC 20555-0001, with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region IV, the Director, Office of Enforcement, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, and the NRC Resident Inspector at the Fort Calhoun facility.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR).

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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,



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