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Subject: VIRGIL C. SUMMER NUCLEAR STATION
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SPECIAL REPORT 2000-03

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South Carolina Electric and Gas Company is submitting this Special Report pursuant to the requirements of Technical Specification 3.3.3.4, Action a.

On August 2, 2000, at 0500 hours, the Meteorological Site Number One 10-40 Meter Delta -T channel (IUR08503), 10-61 Meter Delta -T channel (IUR08505), 61 Meter Level Wind Direction Transmitter (IZT08503B), and 61 Meter Level Wind Speed Transmitter (IST08503A) were declared inoperable. These equipment failures occurred due to a lightning strike, and resulted in the equipment being out of service for greater than seven days.

The equipment was repaired and declared operable on August 11, 2000, at 2015 hours.

If you require further information, please contact Mr. Kelley Marsh at (803) 345-4796.

Very truly yours,

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