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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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South Texas Project
Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. STN 50-498 and STN 50-499
Suspension of Review of Application for Order and Conforming Administrative
Amendments for Transfer of Licenses (TAC Nos. MB2140 and MB2141)

Reference: Letter, W. T. Cottle to S. J. Collins, "Application for Order and Conforming
Administrative Amendments for Transfer of Licenses," June 28, 2001
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On behalf of Central Power and Light Company, STP Nuclear Operating Company (STPNOC) hereby requests the NRC to suspend their review of the referenced application. This request results from schedule uncertainties in obtaining regulatory approvals from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Arkansas Public Service Commission, and the Louisiana Public Service Commission.

STPNOC will notify the NRC when the necessary approvals are in place and the review of the application can recommence. If the NRC requires additional information concerning this request, please contact Mr. Scott Head at (361) 972-7136.

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