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TO: Mr. Giambusso		ORIG: 3 signed	CC	OTHER	SENT AEC PDR X SENT LOCAL PDR X		
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DESCRIPTION: Ltr re our 11-20-72 ltr.....requesting an extension of submittal date for submission of info re Anaylsis of the Effects of Fuel Densification....				ENCLOSURES: Do Not Remove ACKNOWLEDGED			
PLANT NAMES: H. B. Robnison Unit No. 2							

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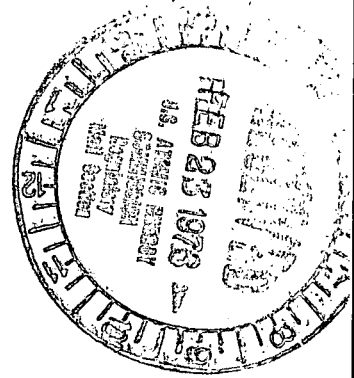


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February 19, 1973

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H. B. ROBINSON UNIT NO. 2
LICENSE DPR-23
ANALYSIS OF THE EFFECTS OF FUEL DENSIFICATION

Dear Mr. Giambusso:

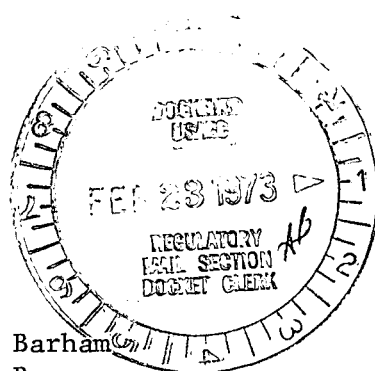
This letter is to inform you that Carolina Power & Light requests an extension of the submittal date for information relative to densification of light water reactor fuel and its effects on the operation of H. B. Robinson Unit No. 2, which was requested in your letter of November 20, 1972.

The cause of the delay results from the schedule of our fuel vendor, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, for providing the engineering calculations for the Cycle 2 reload core and the effects of fuel densification on the Robinson fuel. Part of the delay is due to the requirement to supply the AEC with additional information on the Westinghouse fuel design methods that had been employed in previously submitted fuel densification evaluations. In addition, the order of priority that Westinghouse has established for completion of the work places the Robinson Plant behind several other operating reactors, mainly due to our upcoming refueling outage which is scheduled for March 17 to April 31, 1973.

As a result, we must request an extension until April 15, 1973, for the submittal of fuel densification and Cycle 2 operating information. If there are any improvements or delays in this schedule, we will inform you immediately to expedite your scheduling of our Cycle 2 review.

Very truly yours,

E. E. Utley
Vice President
Bulk Power Supply



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