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<b>TO:</b> Mr. O'Leary		<b>ORIG</b> 3 signed	<b>CC</b>	<b>OTHER</b>	<b>SENT AEC PDR</b> X <b>SENT LOCAL PDR</b> X		
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**DESCRIPTION:**  
Ltr requesting Change to Tech Specs for the  
H. B. Robinson Unit No. 2.....

**ENCLOSURES:**

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**PLANT NAMES:** H.B. Robinson Unit No. 2

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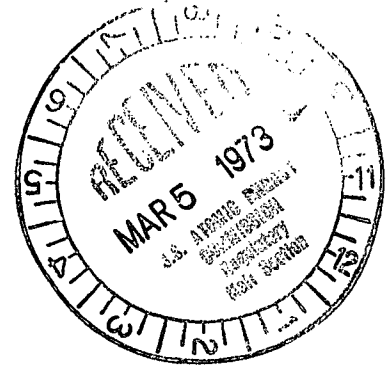


Carolina Power &amp; Light Company

February 28, 1973

Mr. John F. O'Leary, Director  
Directorate of Licensing  
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20545

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H. B. ROBINSON UNIT NO. 2  
LICENSE DPR-23

REQUEST FOR REVISION OF TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS  
CLARIFICATION OF SURVEILLANCE TEST REQUIREMENTS

Dear Mr. O'Leary:

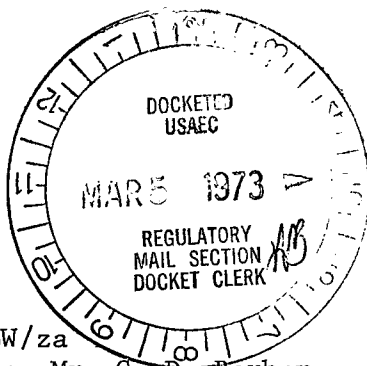
We have reviewed the requirements for surveillance testing of plant equipment and conditions, and find that these are plant conditions such as hot shutdown or cold shutdown for which the performance of certain periodic surveillance tests should not be required. It is our understanding that a surveillance test is intended to identify conditions in a plant that would lead to a degradation of reactor safety. Should a test reveal such a condition, then the Technical Specifications require that, either immediately or after a specified period of time, the plant be placed in a condition which mitigates or eliminates the consequences of additional related casualties or accidents. If the plant is already in a condition which would satisfy the failure criteria of the test, then plant safety is assured and performance of the test yields either meaningless information or information that is not necessary to determine safety limits or limiting conditions for operation of the plant.

In order to allow for the waiving of certain periodic tests under plant conditions that already ensure plant safety, Carolina Power & Light Company requests the following revision to the Technical Specifications:

SectionRequested Change

4.0

Add the following after the first sentence of this paragraph: "Performance of any surveillance test outlined in these specifications is not required if the plant condition is the same as the condition into which the plant would be placed by an unsatisfactory result of that test."



DBW/za

cc: Mr. C. D. Barham  
Mr. N. B. Bessac  
Mr. B. J. Furr  
Mr. D. V. Menscer

Very truly yours,

E. E. Utley  
Vice President  
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