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DESCRIPTION:
Ltr. re our ltr dtd 7-18-74 & their ltr of 8-30-74 & withdrawal of proposed tech spec. withdrawn dn 2-27-75, & submittal in July 1975...
Advising they feel that proposal of a tech Spec for steam generator surveillance should be delayed until Section 11 is revised.....

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PLANT NAME: Oconee 1-2-3-

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Washington, D. C. 20555

Subject: Oconee Nuclear Station
Docket Nos. 50-269, 50-270 and 50-287

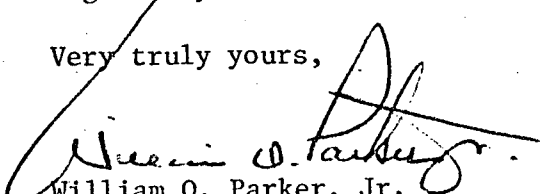
Dear Mr. Boyd:

On July 18, 1974, the AEC requested that Duke Power Company submit a proposed revision to the Oconee Nuclear Station Technical Specifications to incorporate therein a program for steam generator tube surveillance consistent with Regulatory Guide 1.83, Revision 0. On August 30, 1974, a submittal in response to this request was made. Subsequently, on February 27, 1975 the proposed technical specification was withdrawn from further consideration and review. At that time, however, it was stated that a proposed technical specification would be resubmitted following re-evaluation of the matter and evaluation of the results of the Oconee 1 steam generator inspection.

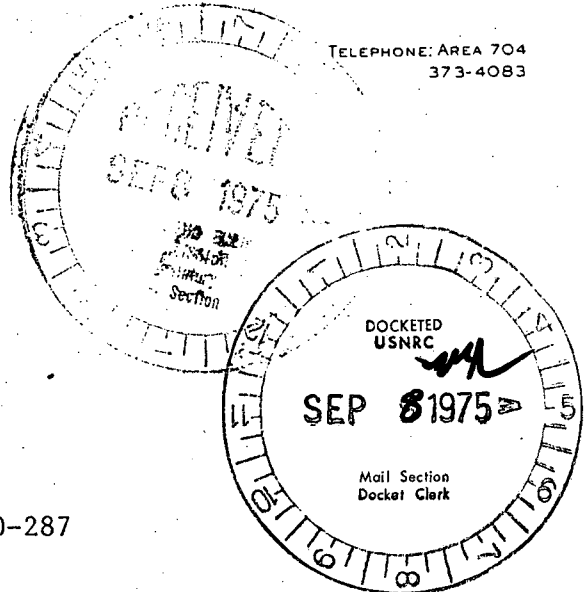
The inspection of the Oconee 1 steam generators following the first cycle of operation, and evaluation of the results thereof, have been completed. Additionally, the Commission issued in July, 1975 Revision 1 to Regulatory Guide 1.83. It is understood, however, that criteria for steam generator surveillance are being developed for inclusion in Section XI of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code and that it is intended that these criteria be issued in the Winter 1975 addenda to Section XI.

Based on all information currently available, as summarized above, it is felt that proposal of a technical specification for steam generator surveillance should be delayed until Section XI is revised to address this matter. In the interim, however, inspections on the Oconee units will be conducted in accordance with the provisions of Regulatory Guide 1.83.

Very truly yours,


William O. Parker, Jr.

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