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Attn: Guy S. Vissing
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Washington, DC 20555

Subject: Monthly Report for May, 1999
Operating Status Information
R.E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-244

Dear Mr. Vissing:

Pursuant to Ginna Improved Technical Specifications Section 5.6.4, attached is the monthly operating status report for Ginna Station for the month of May, 1999.

Very truly yours,

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OPERATING DATA REPORT

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June 8, 1999

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OPERATING STATUS

1. Unit Name: R.E. GINNA NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
2. Reporting Period: May, 1999
3. Design Electric Rating (Net MWe): 470
4. Maximum Dependable Capacity (Net MWe): 480

Notes:

	This Month	Yr.-to-Date	Cumulative**
5. Number of hours Reactor Was Critical	<u>744.0</u>	<u>2357.8</u>	<u>209077.0</u>
6. Hours Generator On-line	<u>744.0</u>	<u>2308.2</u>	<u>206006.9</u>
7. Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours	<u>0.0</u>	<u>0.0</u>	<u>8.5 *</u>
8. Net Electrical Energy Generated (MWH)	<u>344256.0</u>	<u>1034240.0</u>	<u>92885320.4</u>

** CUMULATIVE TOTAL COMMENCING NOVEMBER 8, 1969

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UNIT NAME: R.E. GINNA NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
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UNIT SHUTDOWN

REPORTING PERIOD: May, 1999
(Month/Year)

NO.	DATE	TYPE	DURATION (HOURS)	REASON ⁽¹⁾	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN ⁽²⁾	CAUSE/CORRECTIVE ACTIONS
		F: FORCED S: SCHEDULED				COMMENTS

SUMMARY:

The unit power was reduced on May 3, 1999 due to problems with reactor protection bistables. The unit was restored to full power on May 6, 1999. Two additional power reductions occurred on May 21, 1999 and May 29, 1999 due to offsite circuit maintenance. Average power for the month was 93.7%.

(1) Reason

- A - Equipment Failure (Explain)
- B - Maintenance or Test
- C - Refueling
- D - Regulatory Restriction
- E - Operator Training/License Examination
- F - Administrative
- G - Operational Error (Explain)
- H - Other (Explain)

(2) Method

- 1 - Manual
- 2 - Manual Trip/Scram
- 3 - Automatic Trip/Scram
- 4 - Continuation
- 5 - Other (Explain)