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 STELLO, V. DIVISION OF OPERATING REACTORS.

SUBJECT: INFORMS THAT NEX REFUELING OF UNIT 4 IS SCHEDULED FROM
 EARLY APRIL 79 TO 790526 & DOES NOT INVOLVE SAFETY QUESTION
 OR CHANGE IN TECH SPECS. ALSO INQUIRES IF APPROVAL OF TECH
 SPEC FOR ROD INSERTION WILL BE DELAYED BEYOND 790526.

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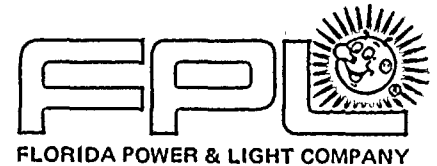
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. Victor Stello, Director
Division of Operating Reactors
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. Stello:

Re: Turkey Point Unit 4
Docket No. 50-251
Reload Safety Evaluation

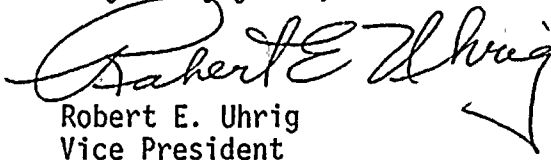
The purpose of this letter is to inform you of our plans for the next refueling of Turkey Point Unit 4.

Turkey Point Unit 4 is in its fifth cycle of operation. The next refueling of Unit 4 is scheduled from early April, 1979 to May 26, 1979. The Turkey Point Plant Nuclear Safety Committee (PNSC) and the Florida Power & Light Company Nuclear Review Board (CNRB) have reviewed the planned operation of Unit 4, Cycle 6 and have concluded that it does not involve an unreviewed safety question or a change in the facility's Technical Specifications.

Florida Power & Light Company submitted a proposed technical specification change on rod insertion limits on December 22, 1978 (L-78-397). The technical specification is necessary for full power capability throughout Turkey Point Unit 4, Cycle 6. The approval of this proposed technical specification prior to the start of Cycle 6 (May 26, 1979) has been assumed for our Safety Analysis. Please inform us if the approval of this technical specification will be delayed beyond May 26, 1979.

We relied on the use of the Westinghouse "Flare"⁽¹⁾ computer code for the analysis of Turkey Point Unit 4, Cycle 6. We have determined that the use of this code in this application does not involve an unreviewed safety question. We understand that the NRC staff review of this code will be completed prior to May 26, 1979.

Very truly yours,


Robert E. Uhrig
Vice President

cc: James P. O'Reilly, Region II
Robert Lowenstein, Esquire

(1) Delp, D. L., et al, "Flare, A Three-Dimensional Boiling Water Simulatory," GEAP-4598 (1964).

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