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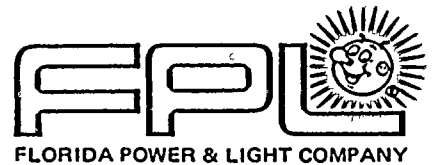
SUBJECT: Forwards revised Tech Spec page re RHR pump operability per
 831013 telcon request for addl info concerning proposed
 license amend.

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October 13, 1983
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. Darrell G. Eisenhut, Director
Division of Licensing
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. Eisenhut:

Re: Turkey Point Units 3 and 4
Docket Nos. 50-250 and 50-251
Proposed License Amendment
Residual Heat Removal Pumps
Additional Information

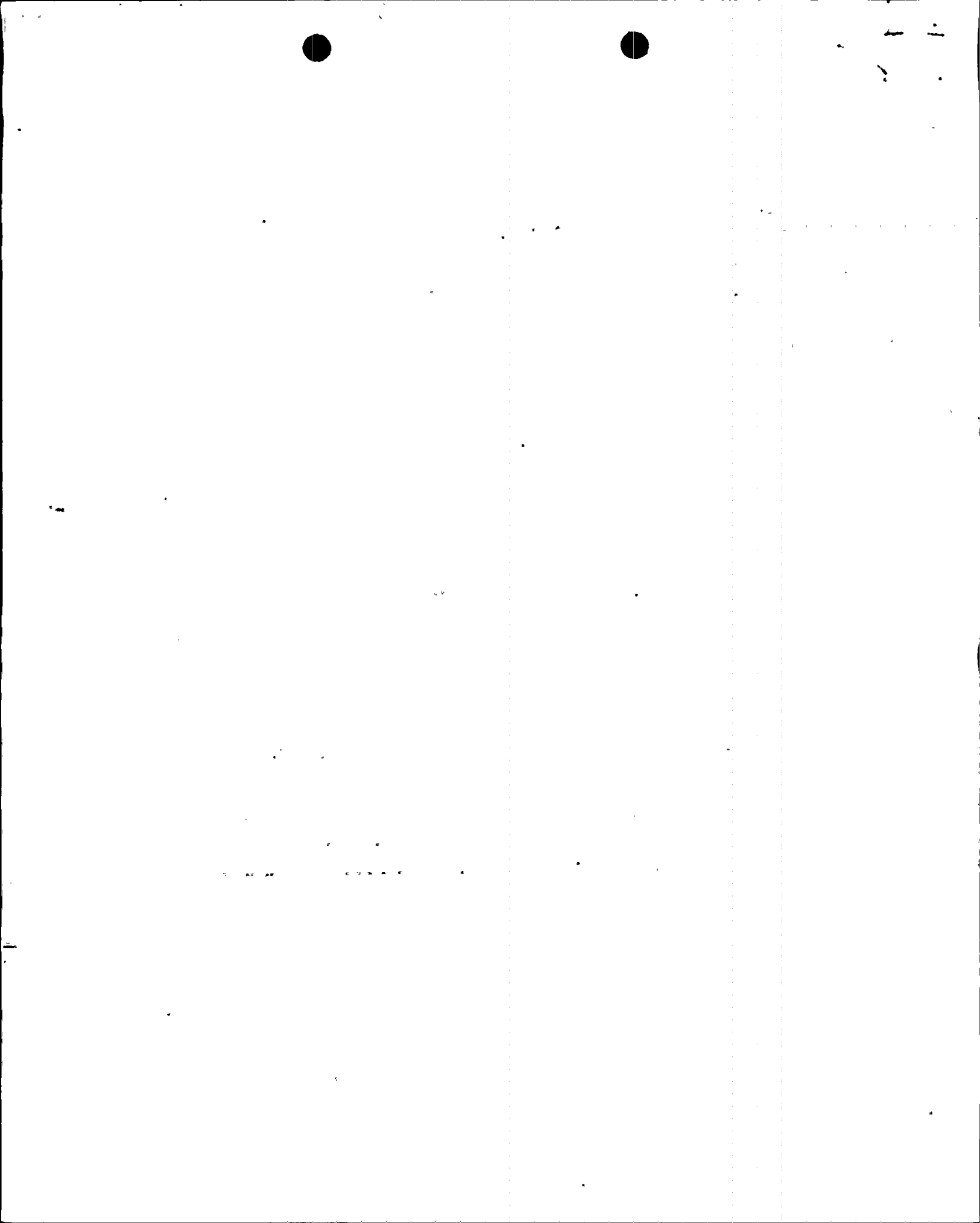
In a telephone discussion with your staff on October 13, 1983, Florida Power & Light was requested to provide additional information concerning the proposed Emergency License Amendment provided in our letter (L-83-520) dated October 13, 1983. Specifically, we were asked to address why the need for the requested revision concerning the operability of the Residual Heat Removal (RHR) pumps had not been filed sufficiently in advance of the current problem with the pump discussed in our letter.

In 1976, and again in 1981, FPL initiated reviews of spare parts needed to prevent situations similar to the one discussed in our amendment request. This was due to spare parts problems at other utilities which caused lengthy outage times. Following budget approval, procurement actions for obtaining a spare RHR pump motor as a result of these reviews were begun, but due to the lengthy engineering review, shifting design requirements, and bidding process, the purchasing actions are still underway for this item. Our goal was to meet the specification on RHR pump operability by means of maintaining a spare available instead of trying to change the specification. This explains why we did not request the proposed amendment sufficiently in advance of the current event.

Also, as a result of discussions with the staff and in order to indicate the interim nature of the proposed technical specification, the page to be changed has been revised and is attached.

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Should you or your staff have further questions on our request, please contact us.

Sincerely,



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Nuclear Energy Department

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Attachment

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