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 RECIP. NAME: RECIPIENT AFFILIATION
 DENTON, H.R. Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, Director

SUBJECT: Requests exemption from annual exercise requirement of
 10CFR50, App. E, Section IV, F, as interpreted by IE Info Notice
 85-55, "Revised Emergency Exercise Frequency Rule."
 Participants agreed to 860122-23 for exercise. Fee paid.

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Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Denton:

Re: Turkey Point Units 3 & 4
Docket Nos. 50-250 & 50-251
Emergency Preparedness Exercise Exemption Request

Florida Power & Light Company requests an exemption from the annual exercise requirement of 10 CFR 50, Appendix E, Section IV.F, as interpreted by NRC Information Notice No. 85-55: Revised Emergency Exercise Frequency Rule, with respect to the 1985 annual exercise for the Turkey Point Plant. Our request consists of shifting the annual exercise into the early part of calendar year 1986, with subsequent exercises held during subsequent calendar years. For the upcoming exercise, all participants have agreed to an exercise date of January 22-23, 1986.

Our previous exemption request on this subject (FPL letter L-84-189 from J. W. Williams, Jr. to Harold R. Denton, dated July 26, 1984) changed the exercise date to a November time frame. Based upon previous interpretations of the definition of "annual", the Turkey Point exercise was set for January 1986. This date falls within a 9 to 15 month window as provided in our Turkey Point Radiological Emergency Plan and was consistent with regulatory policy up until the issuance of IE Information Notice No. 85-55. We received a letter from Mr. Daniel G. McDonald of your Division of Licensing, dated May 9, 1985, regarding scheduling of emergency exercises, which supported the schedular change from November to January since all parties involved were in agreement and the date change met existing regulatory guidance.

The change into the early part of the 1986 calendar year for the Turkey Point annual exercise has been agreed upon by state emergency preparedness officials. Emergency management directors of Dade and Monroe Counties have determined that the Turkey Point exercise date will completely avoid the hurricane season thereby allowing their full attention as required by the demands of this period. We have determined that approval of this exemption request would not affect emergency preparedness at Turkey Point; nor would it endanger life or property, the common defense and security or be contrary to the public interest. This request, therefore, complies with the requirements of 10 CFR 50.12 (Specific exemptions).

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In accordance with 10 CFR 170, an application fee of \$150.00 is attached.

Should you or your staff have any questions on this request, please contact us.

Very truly yours,


J. W. Williams, Jr.
Group Vice President
Nuclear Energy

JWW/JJM/cab

Attachment
FPL Check #8079

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