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<u>et al.</u>	*	50-425-OLA-3
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	*	ASLBP No. 96-671-01-OLA-3

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OF THE LICENSING BOARD'S FEBRUARY 18, 1993
MEMORANDUM AND ORDER ADMITTING A PARTY
AND
GEORGIA POWER COMPANY'S BRIEF IN SUPPORT
OF ITS MARCH 4, 1993 NOTICE OF APPEAL

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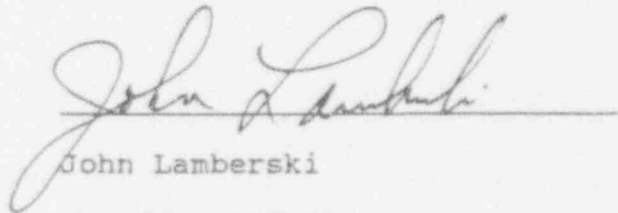
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III. Grounds for Appeal.

GPC files this appeal on the ground that Mr. Mosbaugh's October 22, 1992 Petition to Intervene and his December 9, 1992 Amended Petition to Intervene, should have been wholly denied by the Board. In accordance with 10 C.F.R. § 2.714a(a), GPC submits herewith a brief in support of this Notice of Appeal.

Respectfully submitted,



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