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Mr. James P. O'Reilly
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
101 Marietta Street, Northwest
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

SHEARON HARRIS NUCLEAR POWER PLANT UNIT 1
DOCKET NO. 50-400
WELDING DEFICIENCIES ON SEISMIC I HANGERS AND STRUCTURAL STEEL

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

On April 2, 1982, the NRC (Mr. C. Julian) was notified by Carolina Power & Light Company (Mr. L. E. Jones) of an item considered potentially reportable per the provisions of 10CFR50.55(e) and 10CFR21. The NRC was informed that certain Seismic I pipe hangers and structural steel supplied by Peden Steel, Raleigh, North Carolina, were found to have welding deficiencies.

The intent of this letter is to inform you that Carolina Power & Light Company has not been able to complete its evaluation concerning this matter since reinspections have not been completed to determine the scope of the problem.

Due to the amount of reinspection involved, it is now anticipated that the completion of the reportability evaluation will be accomplished by December 15, 1982, at which time, the NRC will be informed of the results. Completion of corrective action will depend on the results of the evaluations and extent of corrective action required. Once the item is deemed reportable, the NRC will be so notified, and the projected date of completion of corrective action and final report provided through submittal of an interim letter.

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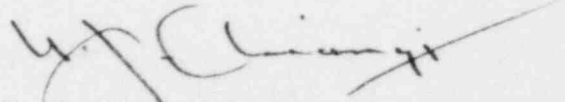
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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "N. J. Chiangi", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

N. J. Chiangi - Manager
Engineering & Construction
Quality Assurance/Quality Control

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cc: Mr. G. Maxwell
Mr. V. Stello (2)