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Mr. Samuel J. Chilk  
Secretary of the Commission  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555

ATTENTION: Docketing and Service Branch

Comments on  
"Virginia Power; Filing of Petition for Rulemaking"  
(59 Federal Register 17499 of April 13, 1994)

Dear Mr. Chilk:

Southern Nuclear Operating Company has reviewed the petitioner's request to amend the NRC emergency preparedness requirements to change the frequency of the licensee's independent reviews of its emergency preparedness program from annually to biennially. This petition was published in the Federal Register on April 13, 1994. In accordance with the request for comments, Southern Nuclear Operating Company is in total agreement with the NEI comments which are to be provided to the NRC.

Should you have any questions, please advise.

Respectfully submitted,

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