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July 22, 1983

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

Subject: Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station  
Docket No. 50/395  
Operating License No. NPF-12  
Technical Specification  
Surveillance Requirement Change

Dear Mr. Denton:

South Carolina Electric and Gas Company (SCE&G) hereby requests that items (b) and (c) of the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station Technical Specification Surveillance Requirement 4.7.4, "Service Water System," be transferred to Surveillance Requirement 4.6.2.3, item (b), "Reactor Building Cooling System," (see Attachment 1).

The subject items involve the surveillance of a portion of the Service Water System that supports only the Reactor Building Cooling Units (RBCU) (see FSAR Figures 9.2-2 and 9.2-3). This portion of the system is actuated upon the receipt of a Safety Injection signal to supply cooling water to the RBCUs at a boosted pressure. Because of the present Technical Specification requirements, a potential component failure in the portion of the system that is dedicated to the RBCUs necessitates declaring the entire Service Water System inoperable.

It is the opinion of SCE&G that items (b) and (c) of Technical Specification 4.7.4, are more appropriately addressed under Specification 4.6.2.3 because the intent of the Specification is to ensure reliable operation of the RBCUs. SCE&G has also determined that a finding of no significant hazard is justified (see Attachment 2).

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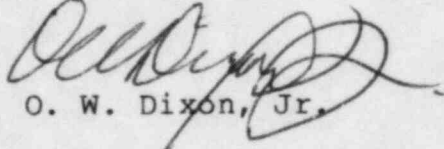
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This change has been reviewed and approved by the Plant Safety Review Committee and the Nuclear Safety Review Committee. A check in the amount of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000.00) is enclosed for processing of this change.

If you have any questions, please contact us at your convenience.

Very truly yours,



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