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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Glenn O. Bright
Dr. James H. Carpenter
James L. Kelley, Chairman

In the Matter of

CAROLINA POWER AND LIGHT CO. et al.
(Shearon Harris Nuclear Power Plant,
Units 1 and 2)

Docket 50-400 OL

ASLEP No. 82-468-01
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Joint Intervenors' Response to Board order served Jan. 30
(Ruling on Summary Disposition on Joint Contention II etc)

Joint Intervenors believe that this extensive order shows a detailed examination of the issues raised in Joint Contention II by the Board, and we are appreciative of that effort. We do intend to present Drs. Johnson and Sternglass as witnesses if they are still available. Dr. Sternglass indicates he will be out of the country, lecturing in Europe, from about May 10, 1984 until early June. We believe Dr. Sternglass is the best possible witness to defend his own work, just as Dr. Gofman is the best witness to present his own work (cf. 1-27-84 order at 19) and respectfully seek the Board's and parties' cooperation to schedule a health effects hearing where he can appear, understanding the Board's caution about voir dire. We believe Dr. Johnson can also appear *in May or June*. We presume in allowing Dr. Sternglass to appear, Joint II(d) is alive. We see no point in contesting the Board's rulings on Joint II's various aspects; it would waste the Board's time and ours. We do request clarification of the status of Joint II(d).

We do also intend to make our case by cross-examination of witnesses (cf. Board Order of 1-27-84 at 6). On this point we respectfully request the Board's guidance: the Board has, we believe, alluded in the past to cross-examination by non-experts re health effects as possibly being non-productive. We therefore ask whether we will be required to employ health effects experts in order to conduct cross-examination on Joint Contention II. If so, we would appreciate being so advised at your earliest convenience.

Finally, the served copies of the Board's 1-27-84 Order omit page 51; however, the message appears clear from the continuation on page 52: received and understood. We expect to begin discovery of our own on Joint Contentions I and VII within 2 weeks; Applicants have already served a first round of discovery on us.

JOINT INTERVENORS

Kudzu Alliance, CHANGE,

Conservation Council of North Carolina

and Wells Eddleman, by Wells Eddleman
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Mr. Wells Eddleman
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Dear Mr. Eddleman:

SUBJECT: RII-83-A-0066

This letter is in response to your letter of July 19, 1983, to Mr. Charles Barth, Counsel for NRC Staff, USNRC, which was forwarded to us for action. In your letter you said that your review of weld data reports on pipe hangers at the Shearon Harris Nuclear Power Plant revealed possible problems with four specific hangers.

We have reviewed these four specific hanger packages and the following information is provided per your request:

1. Plumbing and drainage system seismic hanger No. A-1-216-1-PD-H-441 was inspected on April 14, 1982, and four welds were rejected. Records indicate that these welds were reinspected and accepted to drawing revision 3 on April 13, 1983.
2. Plumbing and drainage system hanger No. A-1-216-1-PD-H-456 was cited as missing welds. These welds were field welds. Welds were reinspected and accepted to drawing revision 1 on January 6, 1983.
3. Service water system hanger No. A-3-216-1-SW-H-473 is stated in a report dated January 20, 1983, to have been welded by an unqualified welder (stencil E-58) and to have burn through. The burn through was on a tack weld on shim plates. This item has not received the final inspection nor has it been accepted. A review of records indicates that the above welder was qualified to the applicable procedure (1A4) on October 28, 1982, per the requirements of ASME Section IX, Article III, paragraph QW-302.2, 1980 Edition, 1982 Summer Addenda. The subject welds in question are tack welds (fillet type, non-load bearing) for which the welder was also qualified.
4. Service water system hanger No. A-3-216-1-SW-H-531 notes welds were rejected because a number of welds are different from the type shown on the drawing. All drawings have gone through a weld symbol review subsequent to the 1980-1981 reinspection. The above welds were reinspected to drawing revision 6 and accepted on March 30, 1983.

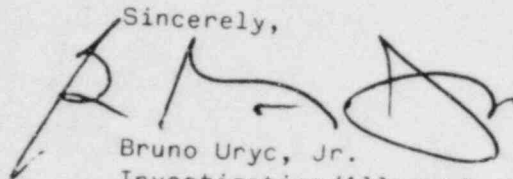
Should you have additional questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me collect at (404) 221-4193. If you should call and I am not available, please ask to speak to my associate or, if you prefer, leave a message so that I can return your call. Should you want to write to me, my mailing address is RII/IA, PO Box 2203, Atlanta, GA 30301.

W. Eddleman

January 26, 1984

We appreciate your bringing your concerns to our attention and should we be able to provide you with additional assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Bruno Uryc, Jr.
Investigation/Allegation
Coordinator

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SHEARON HARRIS NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

Tom Baxter
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Attorney for Applicants Carolina Power & Light et al.

Dear Tom Baxter,

Today I received the enclosed letter from USNRC Region II. It does not indicate that it has been served on the parties to this case. I recall that one of your interrogatories asks me if I know of a specific defective unrepaired pipe hanger at Harris. I believe item 3 of the enclosed letter from Bruno Uryc, Jr. (PII-83-A-0066) 1-26-84 by certified mail to me, is information responsive to that interrogatory. Therefore I am today sending a copy of the letter to you and a copy of it and of this letter to Judge Kelley. Other parties will be served with a copy of this in the next filing I send out.

W. Eddleman

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