



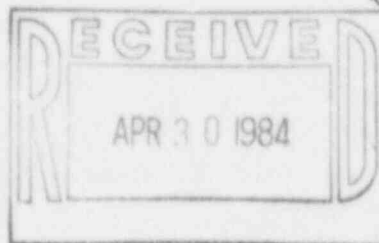
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REFERENCE: Telecon C. Hooper (LP&L) and J. Boardman (NRC Region IV) on  
March 22, 1984

Dear Mr. Collins:

SUBJECT: Waterford SES Unit No. 3  
Docket No. 50-382  
Potentially Reportable Deficiency No. 161  
"Emergency Diesel Generator 'A' Construction Damage"  
Final Report

On March 22, 1984, an Emergency Diesel Generator (EDG) "A" overload condition was reported as PRD 161. Further evaluation of the previously described condition indicates this condition is not considered reportable pursuant to 10CFR50.55(e).

#### EVALUATION

During performance of OP-903-068, Surveillance Procedure, EDG "A" was overloaded to 5.8 megawatts for a period of 1 to 2 minutes. The root cause of the overload condition was attributed to an improper governor setting. After recognizing the condition, LP&L immediately notified the vendor, Cooper Energy Services. On March 24, 1984, full load surveillance test was performed for one hour. The test revealed that no damage had occurred as a results of the overload condition. Based upon successful performance of EDG "A" during surveillance testing, this condition is not considered reportable.

Very truly yours,

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