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May 3, 1984

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Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. G. W. Knighton, Chief
Licensing Branch No. 3
Division of Licensing
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Docket No. 50-382

Dear Mr. Knighton:

Attached are letters from Mr. John M. Lucas, Emergency Preparedness Director of St. Charles Parish and Mr. Bertram P. Madere, Civil Defense Director of St. John the Baptist Parish. These letters confirm the capability of both Parishes to perform back-up route alerting in areas where sirens are to be installed. Please be advised that additional sirens have been ordered to cover residential areas which presently lack coverage and to provide for future population expansion. We anticipate that these sirens will be installed and tested prior to Waterford 3 exceeding five percent power.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

F. J. Drummond

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Attachments

cc: E. L. Blake, W. M. Stevenson, J. T. Collins, D. M. Crutchfield,
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April 10, 1984

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JOHN M. "IKEY" LUCAS
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Mr. Paul N. Backes
Emergency Planning Manager-Nuclear
Louisiana Power & Light Company
142 Delaronde Street
New Orleans, Louisiana 70174-8008

Dear Mr. Backes:

This is to advise you we have received your letter, reference Waterford 3 SES, Emergency Planning - Back-up Alerting Prior to Completion of the Alert System.

We feel confident the Parish is capable of alerting our citizens in the event of an accident, using the Sheriff's Deputies and/or Volunteer Firemen. This was demonstrated in December, 1982, during the incident at Union Carbide.

Thank you for the information on the Alert System. If we can be of any assistance please call.

Sincerely,

John M. Lucas, Director
Department of Emergency Preparedness



BERTRAM P. MADERE
DIRECTOR

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH
CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY

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March 6, 1984

Mr. Paul N. Backes
Emergency Planning Manager-Nuclear
Louisiana Power and Light
142 Delaronde Street
P.O. Box 6008
New Orleans, Louisiana 70174-6008

Dear Mr. Backes:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter concerning back-up alerting prior to completion of the Primary Alert System. We understand that Waterford 3 will be in the process of loading fuel and commencing low power testing.

Please be advised that St. John the Baptist Parish, through our Civil Defense Office and Emergency Personnel, has the capability of using back-up means of alerting the people of the Parish should an accident requiring off- site protective actions occur.

We look forward to the completion of the full alert system in the coming months.

Sincerely,

Bertram Madere
Bertram P. Madere
Director

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cc: R.S. Leddick
R.J. Perry



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April 5, 1984

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3-A45

Mr. John M. Lucas
St. Charles Parish
Department of Emergency Preparedness
Post Office Box 302
Hahnville, Louisiana 70057

SUBJECT: Waterford 3 SES
Emergency Planning
Back-up Alerting Prior to Completion
of the Alert System

Dear Mr. Lucas:

This letter is being written to advise you that LP&L is in the process of completing the primary alert system for Waterford 3 by adding additional sirens to the system and by obtaining helicopter alerting equipment and automatic telephone dialing devices for your Parish. The entire primary alert system is expected to be in place within two months. In the interim period, Waterford 3 will be in the process of loading fuel and commencing low power testing. Should an accident occur prior to the completion of the primary system, the Parish may have to perform alerting by some back-up means such as route alerting in populated areas by firemen or Sheriff's Deputies, route alerting in wetland and lake areas by Department of Wildlife and Fisheries personnel or by making telephone calls from the Parish EOC to industries who may have high ambient noise levels.

Please be advised that the probability of an accident requiring off-site protective actions during this period is extremely remote. This is in part due to the small inventory of radionuclides which are produced in the reactor core during low power testing.

I would appreciate receiving from you a letter acknowledging receipt of this letter, and stating that the Parish has the capability of using back-up means of alerting pending completion of the full alert system.

Thank you for your cooperation with this matter. Please call me should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Paul N. Backes
Emergency Planning Manager-Nuclear

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cc: R. S. Leddick, F. J. Drummond, R. J. Perry, R. M. Nelson, K. W. Cook,
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April 5, 1984

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Mr. Bertram P. Madere
St. John the Baptist Parish
Department of Civil Defense
Post Office Box 359
LaPlace, Louisiana 70068

SUBJECT: Waterford 3 SES
Emergency Planning
Back-up Alerting Prior to Completion
of the Alert System

Dear Mr. Madere:

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