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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attention: Document Control Desk  
Washington, DC 20555

Gentlemen:

Subject: Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station  
Docket No. 50-219  
Facility Operating License No. DPR-16  
Generic Letter No. 94-02  
Enhanced Stability Monitoring

- References: (1) Letter from J. J. Barton, GPU Nuclear, to U.S. Nuclear  
Regulatory Commission (NRC), "Response to Generic Letter  
No. 94-02, Re: Boiling Water Reactor Stability", dated  
September 9, 1994.
- (2) Oyster Creek License Amendment No. 176, dated December 29,  
1994.

The purpose of this letter is to inform the NRC staff of a schedular change regarding enhanced stability monitoring provisions GPU Nuclear intends to implement to avoid power oscillations. The provisions are described in Reference 1 in response to item 1.b of GL 94-02 and are on page 2. In brief, they are 1) a change to the power/flow map exclusion region, 2) the addition of a buffer region to the map, 3) an associated change to the SPDS display and, 4) related procedural changes. In Reference 1, we indicated that these changes were scheduled to be implemented in June 1995. In order to complete our preparations to implement the changes and incorporate them into our licensed operator training program at an appropriate time in the training cycle, it is necessary to reschedule implementation to December 1995.

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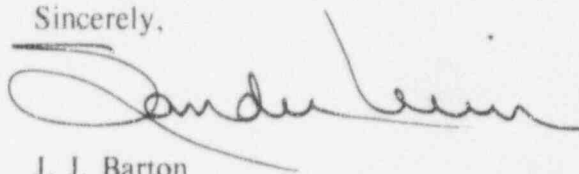
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As discussed in Reference 1, the provisions for enhanced stability monitoring are measures we believe prudent but are in addition to the final stability resolution (APRM detection and suppression) for Oyster Creek approved by the NRC in Reference 2. Existing procedural controls (ICAs) will be maintained until the enhanced monitoring provisions are implemented.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "J. J. Barton", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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