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Attention: Mr. G. F. Wunder

Gentlemen:

Subject: VIRGIL C. SUMMER NUCLEAR STATION
DOCKET NO. 50/395
OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-12
USE OF ASME CODE CASE N-498 (NRR 920001)

It is the understanding of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G) that ASME Code Case N-498, Alternative Rule for 10-Year Hydrostatic Pressure Testing for Class 1 and 2 Systems, Section XI, Division 1, has been reviewed and approved by the NRC. This code case is not currently listed in Regulatory Guide 1.147. Therefore, SCE&G requests NRC approval to utilize ASME Code Case N-498 in the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station Inservice Inspection program.

Should you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Mr. David Haile at (803) 345-4322.

Very truly yours,

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