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NUCLEAR LICENSING & SAFETY DEPARTMENT

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Washington, D. C. 20555

Attention: Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director

Dear Mr. Denton:

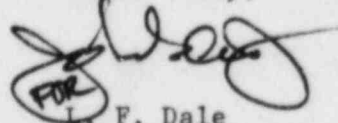
SUBJECT: Grand Gulf Nuclear Station
Unit 1
Docket No. 50-416
License No. NPF-29
File: 0260/L-860.0
Operational Readiness Review for
50% Power
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Mississippi Power & Light (MP&L) is submitting the attached report entitled "Grand Gulf Nuclear Station Unit 1, 50 Percent Power Operational Readiness Review" as required by Operating License Condition 2.C.(4). A copy of this report was provided to members of your staff during a recent site inspection. The report documents the Safety Review Committee (SRC) Special Subcommittee's review and evaluation of Grand Gulf Nuclear Station (GCNS) Unit 1 operations prior to exceeding 50% power. The report has been reviewed and endorsed by the full SRC.

The subcommittee conducted the review consistent with the seven areas identified in the license condition. The subcommittee reported no restrictions to proceeding above 50% power and concluded that by observing normal procedural controls, the plant and personnel are ready to proceed with power ascension.

An additional independent operational readiness review will be conducted within 30 days following completion of the 100 hour warranty run to document MP&L's full compliance with Operating License Condition 2.C.(4).

Yours truly,


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Director

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