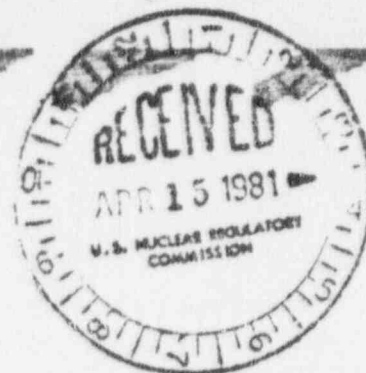


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MEMORANDUM FOR: Frank G. Pagano, Acting Chief
Emergency Preparedness Program Office

FROM: Robert L. Tedesco, Assistant Director
for Licensing, DL

SUBJECT: POST-TMI REQUIREMENTS FOR THE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS
FACILITY

- References: (1) Letter from D. E. Eisenhut to all licensees dated
February 18, 1981 (attached).
(2) Letter from F. L. Clayton, Alabama Power Company,
Senior Vice President, to NRC dated April 6, 1981 (attached)
(3) Memorandum from B. K. Grimes to R. L. Tedesco dated
March 9, 1981.

Reference (1) required a general response from all licensees within 45 days concerning new guidelines for upgrading emergency support facilities. Reference (2) is the response from Alabama Power Company to reference (1). During this time frame, Farley Unit-2 was being licensed and the requirements of reference (1) were reviewed in reference (3). Unfortunately, the conclusions of reference (3) under III.A.1.2. Upgrade Emergency Support Facilities, only state the analysis is valid for Farley Unit-2. Logically, Farley Unit 1 is covered by the analysis but a memorandum is needed stating the analysis is valid for both units.

Also, there are two questions concerning the analysis and the existing requirements. If the Emergency Operations Facility (EOF) is located within 10 miles of the plant, a backup facility is required. The Farley EOF will be within a mile of the plant. Although the backup EOF does not need to be a dedicated facility, should its location be firmly established or can it be a variable location? The backup EOF location is not listed in the Farley plan. Second, would you verify the manning chart supplied in reference (2) is consistent with the agreements made with the Alabama Power Company since it is slightly different from the standard chart provided in reference (1).

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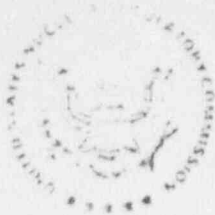
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TO ALL LICENSEES OF OPERATING PLANTS AND HOLDERS OF CONSTRUCTION PERMITS
SUBJECT: POST-TMI REQUIREMENTS FOR THE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS FACILITY
(GENERIC LETTER 81-10)

Gentlemen:

On October 31, 1980, the NRC staff sent you a clarification letter (NUREG-0737) regarding approved TMI Action Plan items which deferred clarification of item III.A.1.2, Upgrade Emergency Support Facilities. The Commission has now finalized its position with respect to location and habitability requirements for the Emergency Operations Facility and staffing levels for emergency situations. Clarification on these issues is enclosed. In the near future, we expect to issue further guidance for emergency response facilities in connection with finalization of NUREG-0696. Implementation schedules for related items affected by the issuance of NUREG-0696 will be set forth at that time.

It is expected that the requirements contained herein will be met. Accordingly you are requested to furnish, within forty-five (45) days of this letter, confirmation that the implementation dates indicated in Enclosure 1 will be met. For any date that cannot be met, furnish a proposed revised date, and justification for the delay.

This request for information was approved by GAO under a blanket clearance number R0072 which expires November 30, 1983. Comments on burden and duplication may be directed to the U. S. General Accounting Office, Regulatory Reports Review, Room 5106, 441 G Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20548.

Sincerely,

Darrell G. Eisenhut

Darrell G. Eisenhut, Director
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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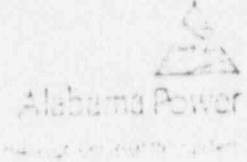
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Attention: Mr. S. A. Varga
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Gentlemen:

Joseph M. Farley Nuclear Plant - Units 1 and 2
Upgrading of Emergency Support Facilities

In response to Mr. D. G. Eisenhower's letter of February 18, 1981, Alabama Power Company has performed a review of the criteria contained in the above referenced letter.

Alabama Power Company has established an operational technical support center (TSC) which is in close proximity to the control room. The TSC has the capability to display and transmit plant status to those individuals knowledgeable of and responsible for engineering and management support of reactor operations in the event of an accident. The TSC is habitable to the same degree as the control room for postulated accident conditions. The Farley Nuclear Plant Emergency Plan has been revised to incorporate the role and location of the TSC. The TSC contains a set of PSID's for each unit and technical manuals on selected major equipment. Other technical data are readily available from the document control facility in the plant Service Building which may be reached by intraplant phone from the TSC. Also available in the TSC are the Emergency Plan, Emergency Plan Implementing Procedures, Abnormal Operating Procedures, Emergency Operating Procedures and Unit Operating Procedures along with other general reference material.

Alabama Power Company has also established an operational support center (OSC) functionally separate from the control room and other emergency response facilities. Communications have been provided from the OSC to the TSC, EOF, and control room.

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