

Florida Power

CORPORATION
Crystal River Unit 3
Docket No. 50-302

October 18, 1996

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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Document Control Desk
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Subject: 30 Day Response to NRC Generic Letter 96-06, "Assurance of Equipment Operability and Containment Integrity During Design-Basis Accident Conditions"

Reference: NRC to FPC letter, 3N0996-18, dated September 30, 1996

Dear Sir:

Florida Power Corporation (FPC) is submitting this response as required by Generic Letter (GL) 96-06. FPC has reviewed the elements of the GL as they apply to the Crystal River Unit 3 Nuclear Power Plant, and has determined that the requested actions will be performed. FPC will complete the requested actions according to the schedule given in the GL, and will submit a written summary report of actions taken by January 27, 1997.

Sincerely,

P. M. Beard, Jr.
Senior Vice President
Nuclear Operations

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xc: Regional Administrator, Region II
Senior Resident Inspector
NRR Project Manager

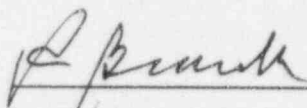
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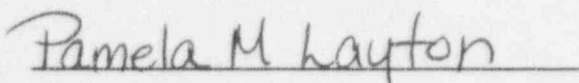
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P. M. Beard, Jr. states that he is the Senior Vice President, Nuclear Operations for Florida Power Corporation; that he is authorized on the part of said company to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the information attached hereto; and that all such statements made and matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

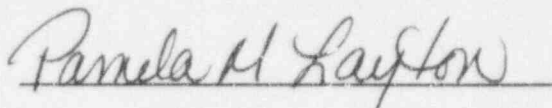


P. M. Beard, Jr.
Senior Vice President
Nuclear Operations

P. M. Beard, Jr., personally known to me. Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County above named, this 18 day of October, 1996.



Notary Public (print)



Notary Public (signature)



Pamela M. Layton
MY COMMISSION # CC512962 EXPIRES
November 29, 1999
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