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Attention: Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
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Division of Licensing

References: (a) License No. DPR-28 (Docket No. 50-271)  
(b) Letter D.G. Eisenhower to All Licensees of Operating  
Nuclear Power Reactors and Applicants for Operating  
Licenses (Generic Letter 81-04, dated February 25, 1981)  
(c) Letter E.W. Jackson to D.G. Eisenhower, response to  
Generic Letter 81-04, dated May 28, 1981

Dear Mr. Rooney:

Subject: Emergency Procedures and Training for Station Blackout Events

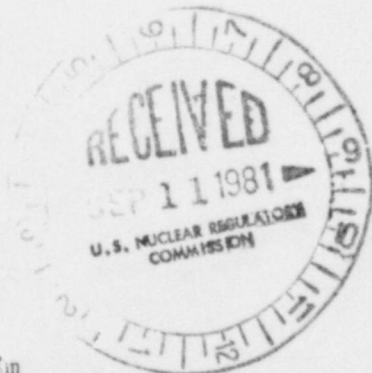
In our response to Generic Letter 81-04, we did not intend to imply that the subject procedures and training for operator response to a station blackout event did not currently exist. On the contrary, our review of procedures and training indicates that current procedures and training do address the necessary actions to recover from a blackout event. In fact, the procedures address the non-availability from all causes, including a complete loss of A.C. power. As part of the operator requalification training program, each of our licensed operators participated earlier this year in simulator exercises conducted at the Morris facility which specifically included a complete loss of A.C. power.

The future procedure revisions and related training described in Reference (c) are those that will result from the implementation of NUREG 0737, Item I.C.1, Emergency Procedures and 10 CFR 50, Appendix R, Alternate Shutdown Capability.

We trust that you will find this information satisfactory; however, should you desire additional information, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

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