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February 29, 2012

Mr. D. W. Rencurrel Senior Vice President, Technical Support and Oversight STP Nuclear Operating Company P.O. Box 289 Wadsworth, TX 77483

SUBJECT:

REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR THE REVIEW OF THE

SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION

(TAC NOS. ME4938 AND ME5122)

Dear Mr. Rencurrel:

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The request for additional information was discussed with Mr. Kenneth Taplett, and a mutually agreeable date for the response is within 30 days from the date of this letter. If you have any questions, please contact me at 301-415-3617 or by e-mail at Tam.Tran@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

Tam Tran, Project Manager

Projects Branch 2

Division of License Renewal

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket Nos. 50-498 and 50-499

Enclosure: As stated

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SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Information request:

Consistent with the conference call on January 17, 2012 (ML12047A285), please provide documentation to demonstrate that a separate Clean Water Act 401 certification will not be required for the purposes of license renewal, either in the form of a State regulation, policy statement, or written statement from the State.

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