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SUBJECT: PLANT PERFORMANCE REVIEW (PPR) - SUMMER

Dear Mr. Taylor:

On October 4, 1996, the regional staff completed the semiannual Plant Performance Review (PPR) of Summer. The staff conducts these reviews for all operating nuclear power plants to develop an integrated understanding of safety performance. The results are used by regional management to facilitate planning and allocation of inspection resources. The PPR for Summer involved the participation of all technical divisions in evaluating inspection results and safety performance information for the period from March 1996 through August 1996. PPRs provide regional management with a current summary of licensee performance and serve as inputs to the NRC Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) and Senior Management Meeting (SMM) reviews.

This letter advises you of our planned inspection effort resulting from the Summer PPR review. It is provided in an attempt to minimize the resource impact on your staff and to allow for scheduling conflicts to be resolved in advance of inspection dates. The enclosure presents our inspection plan for the next six months. Specific dates are included for near term inspections. Long term inspection dates will be announced prior to the inspections and any scheduling conflicts will be resolved with your staff. The rationale or basis for each inspection outside the core inspection program is provided so that you are aware of the reasons for emphasis in these program areas. Resident inspections are not listed due to their ongoing and continuous nature, nor are region based inspections which accomplish Resident Core Modules to compensate for Resident Inspector absences due to training.

During each NRC inspection planned during this period, specific attention will continue to be given to the verification of selected Updated Final Safety Analysis Report (UFSAR) commitments. Applicable portion(s) of the UFSAR that relate to the inspection activities will be reviewed and verification made that the UFSAR commitments have been properly implemented into plant practices, procedures and/or parameters.

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We will inform you of any changes to the inspection plan. If you have any questions, please contact G. A. Belisle at (404) 331-4196.

Sincerely,

Original signed by George A. Belisle

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Enclosure: Inspection Plan

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INSPECTION PLAN

INSPECTION PROCEDURE/ TEMPORARY INSTRUCTION	TITLE/PROGRAM AREA	NUMBER OF INSPECTORS	PLANNED INSPECTION DATES	TYPE OF INSPECTION
IP 64704	FIRE PROTECTION PROGRAM	1	10/14-18/96	CO
IP 37550	ENGINEERING	2	10/14-18/96 10/21-25/96	CO - INCLUDES RESOLUTION OF LEAKS/TRANSIENTS IN PIPING SYSTEMS, MODIFICATIONS, 50.59, FSAR, AND REVIEW CONTROL ROOM INSTRUMENTS (GREEN BANDS)
IP 71714	COLD WEATHER PREPARATIONS	1	NOVEMBER 1996	RI
IP 62700	MAINTENANCE PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION	1	12/9-13/96	RI - MAINTENANCE AND TESTING OF THE SAFE SHUTDOWN PANEL

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IP 84750 IP 86750 TI 2515/133	RADIOACTIVE WASTE TREATMENT, & EFFLUENT & ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING SOLID RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT & TRANSPORTATION OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS IMPLEMENTATION OF REVISED 49 CFR PARTS 100-179 & 10 CFR PART 71	1	1/27-31/97	CO
IP 62700	MAINTENANCE PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION	1	1/27-31/97	RI - ELECTRICAL MAINTENANCE REACTOR TRIP BREAKERS
TI 2515/109	INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS FOR GL 89-10 SAFETY RELATED MOTOR OPERATOR VALVE TESTING AND SURVEILLANCE	2	3/3-7/97	SI

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OSRE	OPERATIONAL SAFEGUARDS RESPONSE EVALUATION	7	3/3-7/97	RI
IP 83750	OCCUPATIONAL RADIATION EXPOSURE	2	3/17-21/97	CO
IP 71001	LICENSED OPERATOR REQUALIFICATION PROGRAM EVALUATION	1	APRIL 1997	CO