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Mr. W. Ray Cunningham, Director
Water Management Division
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Atlanta, Georgia 30365

Dear Mr. Cunningham:

Minor Modification to NPDES Permit No. FL0002283
Scholz Electric Generating Plant
Sneads, Florida

A minor modification is requested for Page I-5, Section D. 1. of the above referenced permit. This section of the permit concerns an internal wastestream from a small onsite sewage treatment plant. Currently, effluent from this treatment plant (Outfall 004) is discharged directly into the once through cooling water discharge canal (Outfall 001).

A new 2,500 gallon per day sewage treatment plant has been purchased to replace the existing plant. Instead of discharging treated effluent from the new plant directly into Outfall 001, we propose to now pipe it to the upper ash pond. As a result, sanitary wastes will enter Outfall 001 by way of the ash pond (Outfall 002). This change, along with the fact that the new plant will include dechlorination, is viewed as an improvement over the existing older system.

It would be greatly appreciated if you would complete this modification as soon as possible. The necessary permits for the new package plant will be received shortly from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Rachel Allen at (904) 444-6127.

Sincerely,



cc: R. L. Allen
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