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RE: Nine Mile Point Unit 1
Docket No. 50-220
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Subject: Supplement to Special Report; dated December 17, 1999

Gentlemen:

This Supplement to Special Report, dated December 17, 1999, revises information in the Description of Event Section in the Special Report dated December 17, 1999.

The Special Report dated December 17, 1999, documented that troubleshooting activities determined that the noise was a result of degraded bearings. Prior to the report, discussions with the pump manufacturer revealed that the bearings found in the pump were an incorrect type and that furthermore, the manufacturer had not installed that type of bearing in their pumps.

Subsequent to the Special Report dated December 17, 1999, additional reviews by the pump's manufacturer revealed that the manufacturer did previously install the type of bearings found. Subsequently, the manufacturer had upgraded the bearings to achieve a tighter fit.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John T. Conway".

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