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Subject: **Docket Nos. 50-361 and 50-362
Monthly Operating Reports for September 2000
San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3**

Gentlemen:

Technical Specification 5.7.1.4 of Facility Operating Licenses NPF-10 and NPF-15 for the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3, respectively, requires Southern California Edison to provide a Monthly Operating Report (MOR) of operating statistics and shutdown experience, including documentation of all challenges to pressurizer safety valves, for each unit. Attachments 1 and 2 provide the subject Monthly Operating Reports for Units 2 and 3, respectively. There were no challenges to pressurizer safety valves for either Unit 2 or 3.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Clay E. Williams at (949) 368-6707.

Sincerely,



Attachments 1 & 2

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Attachment 1

NRC Monthly Operating Report, September 2000

San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 2

USNRC MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT
 SAN ONOFRE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION
 UNIT 2
 September 2000

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OPERATING DATA REPORT

1	Design Electrical Rating (Net MWe)	1070
2	Maximum Dependable Capacity (Gross MWe)	1127
3	Maximum Dependable Capacity (Net MWe)	1070

		This Month*	Yr-to-Date*	Cumulative*
4	Number of Hours in Period	720	6,575	150,096
5	Number of Hours Reactor Was Critical	720	6,575	119,562
6	Hours Generator On-line	720	6,575	117,859
7	Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours	0	0	0
8	Net Electrical Energy Generated (MWh)	788,684	7,283,888	125,160,676

*Rounded

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UNIT SHUTDOWNS AND POWER REDUCTIONS

Number	None
Date	N/A
Type (1)	N/A
Duration (Hours)	N/A
Reason (2)	N/A
Method of shutting down reactor (3)	N/A
LER No.	N/A
System Code (4)	N/A
Component Code (5)	N/A
Cause and corrective action to prevent recurrence	N/A

(1) F-Forced
S-Scheduled

(2) Reason: A-Equipment Failure (Explain)
B-Maintenance or Test
C-Refueling
D-Regulatory Restriction
E-Operator Training & License Examination
F-Administrative
G-Operational Error (Explain)
H-Other (Explain)

(3) Method: 1-Manual
2-Manual Scram
3-Automatic Scram
4-Continuation from Previous Month
5-Reduction in the Average Daily Power Level
of more than 20% from the previous day
6-Other (Explain)

(4) IEEE Std 805-1984

(5) IEEE Std 803A-1983

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SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE FOR THE MONTH

Date	Time	Event
09/01/00	0001	Mode 1, 99.9% Reactor Power, 1160 MWe
09/30/00	2400	Mode 1, 94.6% Reactor Power, 1088 MWe

Attachment 2

NRC Monthly Operating Report, September 2000

San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 3

USNRC MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT
 SAN ONOFRE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION
 UNIT 3
 September 2000

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OPERATING DATA REPORT

1	Design Electrical Rating (Net MWe)	1080
2	Maximum Dependable Capacity (Gross MWe)	1127
3	Maximum Dependable Capacity (Net MWe)	1080

		This Month*	Yr-to-Date*	Cumulative*
4	Number of Hours in Period	720	6,575	144,647
4	Number of Hours Reactor Was Critical	720	6,575	119,412
5	Hours Generator On-line	720	6,575	117,430
6	Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours	0	0	0
7	Net Electrical Energy Generated (MWh)	795,036	7,245,033	123,319,772

*Rounded

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UNIT SHUTDOWNS AND POWER REDUCTIONS

Number	None
Date	N/A
Type (1)	N/A
Duration (Hours)	N/A
Reason (2)	N/A
Method of shutting down reactor (3)	N/A
LER No.	N/A
System Code (4)	N/A
Component Code (5)	N/A
Cause and corrective action to prevent recurrence	N/A

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SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE FOR THE MONTH

Date	Time	Event
09/01/00	0001	Mode 1, 99.9% Reactor Power, 1162 MWe
09/31/00	2400	Mode 1, 99.9% Reactor Power, 1158 MWe