

BWR Vessel & Internals Project_______2001-250

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Attention: C. E. Carpenter

Subject: PROJECT NO. 704 – BWRVIP Response to NRC Safety Evaluation of BWRVIP-62

Reference: 1. Letter from Jack R. Strosnider (NRC) to Carl Terry (BWRVIP Chairman), "Safety Evaluation of Proprietary EPRI Report TR 1087805, BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Technical Basis for Inspection Relief for BWR Internal Components with Hydrogen Injection (BWRVIP-62) (TAC NO. MA4468)," dated January 30, 2001.

 Letter from Carl Terry (BWRVIP Chairman) to NRC Document Control Desk, "PROJECT NO. 704 – BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Technical Basis for Inspection Relief for BWR Internal Components with Hydrogen Injection (BWRVIP-62), EPRI Report TR-108705, December 1998," dated December 31, 1998.

Enclosed are ten (10) copies of the BWRVIP response to the issues identified in the NRC Safety Evaluation of the BWRVIP report "BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Technical Basis for Inspection Relief for BWR Internal Components with Hydrogen Injection (BWRVIP-62)" that was transmitted by the Reference 1 letter identified above.

The enclosed document contains proprietary information. Therefore, the request to withhold the BWRVIP-62 report from public disclosure transmitted to the NRC by the Reference 2 letter identified above also applies to the enclosed document.

If you have any questions on this subject, please contact John Wilson of AmerGen (BWRVIP Mitigation Committee Technical Chairman) by telephone at 217.937.4354.

Sincerely,

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