

July 22, 2002

MEMORANDUM TO: James T. Wiggins
Deputy Regional Administrator
Region I

FROM: Cynthia A. Carpenter, Chief **/RA/G. Kingler for**
Inspection Program Branch
Division of Inspection Program Management
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF REPORT TITLED "OPERATING EXPERIENCE
ASSESSMENT-OBSERVATIONS REGARDING ACCIDENT
SEQUENCE PRECURSOR EVENTS FY 1993 TO 2000"

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