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**NUCLEAR MANAGEMENT COMPANY, LLC
PALISADES NUCLEAR PLANT, DOCKET 50-255, LICENSE DPR-20
CORRECTION TO FIRE PROTECTION EXEMPTION REQUEST**

Nuclear Management Company, LLC (NMC), is submitting a correction to a fire protection exemption request. An error in the original exemption request was identified during NMC review of fire protection program requirements. Consumers Power Company, the previous licensee for Palisades Nuclear Plant, submitted the original exemption request in letters "Fire Protection – Exemption Requests and Modified Commitments – Revision 2," dated July 20, 1984, and "Fire Protection Exemption Request – Compliance to 10CFR50.48 & Appendix R – Revision 7," dated June 19, 1985. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) approved the exemption on July 23, 1985, by letter from J.A. Zwolinski, "Exemptions To Section III.G of Appendix R."

Figure 3B to Attachment 15 of the July 20, 1984 and June 19, 1985 submittals provided information that included identification of the location of fire detectors in the containment 607' elevation area. Four fire detectors were originally, and incorrectly, denoted in the area for the right channel instrument cable route. NMC is enclosing a corrected Figure 3B which denotes three fire detectors. These fire detectors are installed in areas of cable concentration. The previously identified fourth detector, labeled "alarm bell," is a local alarm that is energized upon smoke detector actuation in the containment. There are no cable concentrations between the alarm bell and the adjacent fire detector. NMC has determined that the remaining three smoke detectors are adequate to provide fire detection in the areas of cable concentration as stated in the NRC exemption dated July 23, 1985.

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Enclosure 1 provides the revised Figure 3B of Attachment 15 to the exemption requests dated July 20, 1984 and June 19, 1985.



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Enclosure

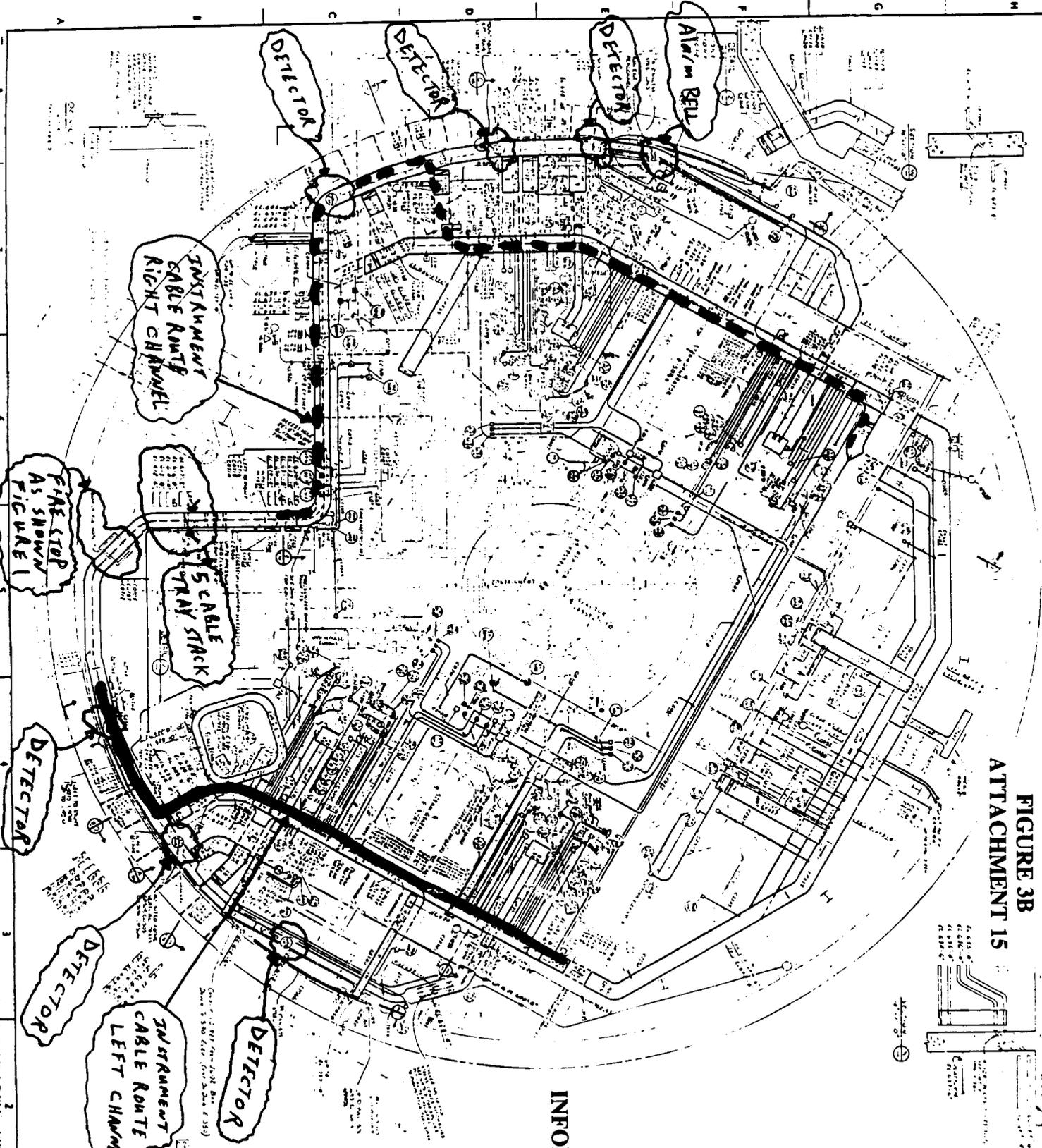
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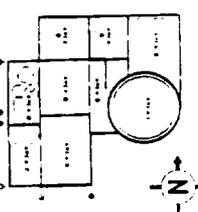
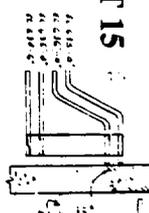
**Corrected Figure 3B of Attachment 15
To Exemption Requests Dated July 20, 1984 and June 19, 1985**

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PALISADES PLANT FIGURE 3B ATTACHMENT 15



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NOTES

1. ALL CABLES TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE (NEC) AND THE NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION (NFPA) STANDARDS.
2. ALL CABLES TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS.
3. ALL CABLES TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS.
4. ALL CABLES TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROJECT DRAWINGS.
5. ALL CABLES TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROJECT SCHEDULE.
6. ALL CABLES TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROJECT BIDDING DOCUMENTS.
7. ALL CABLES TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROJECT CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

PROJECT	PALISADES PLANT
CONTRACT NO.	CONDUIT & TRAY PLAN
DATE	CONTAINMENT AREA 1
REV.	EL. 507.0
NO.	5935
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