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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - DEFICIENT INSTALLATION OF SEISMIC PIPE HANGER ANCHORS - NCR CAQR M-31 - FIRST INTERIM REPORT

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector Bruce Cochran on December 20, 1978. Enclosed is our first interim report. We expect to submit our next report by March 8, 1979.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch with M. R. Wisenburg at FTS 854-2581.

Very truly yours,

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