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Attention: Mr. Steven A. Varga, Chief  
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Subject: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant  
Docket No. 50-286  
Regulatory Responses

Dear Sir:

This letter is to confirm discussions between the NRC staff and Authority personnel concerning revised submittal dates for certain NRC requests for information and action.

Based on these discussions, the Authority will respond to (1) your July 1, 1981 letter concerning purging and venting of containment by October 20, 1981, (2) Mr. Eisenhut's letter dated February 10, 1981 (Generic Letter No. 81-14) requesting information concerning Seismic Qualification of Auxiliary Feed-water Systems by August 28, 1981 and (3) Mr. Eisenhut's letter dated November 20, 1980 concerning snubber surveillance technical specifications by September 25, 1981.

The reasons the Authority requested these extensions include, additional time needed to review consultants' reports and the need for the Authority to establish priorities in responding to regulatory requirements, i.e., NUREG-0737 items, responses to I&E Bulletins and Inspection Reports, response concerning Environmental Qualification of Safety-Related Electrical Equipment, emergency planning, etc.

The aforementioned revised submittal dates were discussed with Mr. John Thoma of your staff who indicated that these

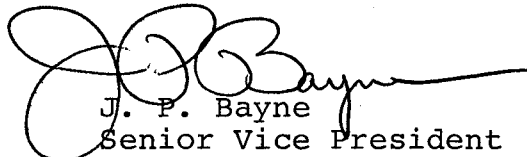
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extensions are acceptable.

Should you or your staff have any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

  
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