

POWER AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

INDIAN POINT NO. 3 NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

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Boyce H. Grier, Director  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region I, 631 Park Avenue  
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

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Dear Mr. Grier:

The ultrasonic and liquid penetrant examinations required by the subject bulletin have been completed. No evidence of any cracking was found. The visual examination of accessible welds in the engineered safety systems can not be completed at this time because several of the systems can not be aligned and operated to achieve normal operating pressure. This situation is brought about by a combination of plant conditions necessary to support the current refueling effort and periodic maintenance being performed on these systems. These visual inspections will be performed and results transmitted to you as soon as the systems can be operated to achieve the required pressure.

  
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Resident Manager

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