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Subject: Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-286
Response to NRC I.E. Bulletin 79-02,
Revision 2, Item 5

Dear Mr. Grier:

The purpose of this letter is to provide a response to I.E. Bulletin 79-02, Revision 2, Item 5 in accordance with our letter dated December 7, 1979.

A field inspection program identified two instances involving three supports which originally utilized Hilti Kwik Bolts in solid block walls. The first instance was a support (WD-R-440-1B-G) for a 3/4 inch waste (gas) disposal line. The second instance was two supports (AC-H&R-517A-u and AC-H&R-518A-u) for a 3/4 inch residual heat removal local sample line. All three supports were accessible during normal plant operation. All three of these supports have been modified such that all anchor bolt installations in concrete block walls have been eliminated.

Very truly yours,

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