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SUBJECT: Requests until 770104 Proposed Amend 23 be disregarded. New amend request on App J will be submitted by 821101. New amend proposal preferable to updating proposed Amend 23.

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August 27, 1982

Mr. S. A. Varga, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #1
Division of Licensing
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Varga:

Docket 50-305
Operator License DPR-43
Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant
Proposed Amendment No. 23 to the KNPP Technical Specifications

Proposed Amendment 23 to the Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant Technical Specifications was submitted to the NRC on January 4, 1977. This proposed amendment modified the surveillance testing requirement of the containment system by referencing Appendix J to 10CFR50, and requested certain variations from Appendix J. On April 21, 1981 we received a request from your office for additional information concerning our Proposed Amendment 23. In our response to your request, we noted our intent to "update" the proposed amendment, in light of the long time that had elapsed since it was first submitted.

In our continuing reviews on this matter, we have determined that it is preferable to propose a new amendment rather than try to work with Proposed Amendment 23. Therefore, we request that you disregard our Proposed Amendment 23. A new amendment request concerning Appendix J to 10CFR50 will be submitted by November 1, 1982.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "C. W. Giesler".

C. W. Giesler
Vice President - Nuclear Power

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cc - Mr. Robert Nelson, U.S. NRC

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