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Gentlemen:

The Regulatory staff has completed its review of the General Electric Company proprietary topical report NEDE-10958, "General Electric BWR Thermal Analysis Basis (GETAB): Data, Correlation and Design Application" (NEDO-10958, non-proprietary version). Enclosed is the Regulatory staff's evaluation of this report.

As a result of our review, we have concluded that the above report provides an acceptable boiling transition correlation and an acceptable method of thermal analysis of GE BWR 8x8 and 7x7 fuel assemblies.

In this regard, the revised GETAB-based Technical Specifications for the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant should be submitted no later than the submittal date of your ECCS reevaluation required by the Order transmitted to you on December 27, 1974.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
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