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In the Matter of
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, ET AL.
(San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3)
Docket Nos. 50-361 OL and 50-362 OL

Gentlemen:

The Staff has received the attached application from the Applicants in this proceeding requesting an amendment of their materials license, No. SNM-1844. This amendment would increase the maximum amount of U-235 which Applicants may possess from twenty (20) grams to thirty-five (35) grams.

The Staff is reviewing this application and is considering issuance of such amendment subject to making the appropriate findings.

Sincerely,

Lawrence J. Chandler Counsel for NRC Staff

Enclosure: As stated

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