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PROPRIETARY INFORMATION

Application for Amend 89 to
Proposed change 89 to Tech Specs.

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March 31, 1980

Mr. H. R. Denton, Director
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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Gentlemen:

Subject: Docket No. 50-206
Amendment No. 89
San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station
Unit 1

Enclosed are three executed and thirty-seven conformed copies of Amendment No. 89 in Docket No. 50-206. Amendment No. 89 consists of Proposed Change No. 89 to the Technical Specifications incorporated into Provisional Operating License No. DPR-13 as Appendices A and B.

Proposed Change No. 89 is a request to revise Technical Specification Sections 3.5, "Instrumentation and Control" and 4.1, "Operational Safety Items", of the Appendix A Technical Specifications. These revisions are in response to NRC Staff review of LER's and Technical Specification requirements related to Control Rod Position Indication Systems (RPI) at Westinghouse PWR's and are necessary to assure compliance in accordance with our letters dated January 4, 1980 and February 14, 1980.

In order to comply with Proposed Technical Specification 3.5.4, Rod Position Indicating System, item C.1.a., a method of determining the position of a control rod using the movable incore detectors is required. Results obtained at equilibrium conditions indicate that a correlation exists between axial offset in core power, and rod position. Data at non-equilibrium conditions will have to be obtained during the startup following refueling. We therefore request that the effective date for this Technical Specification be deferred until 60 days after startup, scheduled to commence on June 1, 1980, in order to allow for the development of a procedure for the implementation of this portion of the Technical Specifications.

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Mr. H. R. Denton, Director

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Also enclosed is Southern California Edison Company's Check No. T016444 dated March 31, 1980, in the amount of \$4,000.00 as required by 10CFR170.22.

Very truly yours,

Robert Dietrich

Enclosures