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Docket No. 50-206

Southern California Edison Company
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Attention: Dr. L. T. Papay, Vice President
Advanced Engineering

Gentlemen:

Subject: NRC Investigation at San Onofre Unit 1

This refers to the investigation conducted by Messrs. Joukoff and North of this office on April 23-25, 1980 of activities authorized by NRC License No. DPR-13, and to the discussion of our findings held by Mr. North with Mr. Curran and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the investigation.

The investigation was an examination of certain allegations made with respect to radiation protection practices at San Onofre Unit 1. Within these areas, the investigation consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspectors.

Based on the results of this investigation, it appears that one of your activities was not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation, enclosed herewith as Appendix A. This item of noncompliance has been categorized into a level as described in our correspondence to all NRC licensees dated December 31, 1974.

This notice is sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201, of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office, within twenty (20) days of your receipt of this notice, a written statement or explanation in reply including (1) corrective steps which have been taken by you and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

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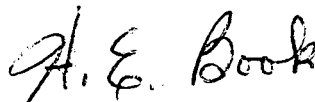
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In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed investigation report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you submit a written application to this office, within 20 days of the date of this letter, requesting that such information be withheld from public disclosure. The application must include a full statement of the reasons why it is claimed that the information is proprietary. The application should be prepared so that any proprietary information identified is contained in an enclosure to the application, since the application without the enclosure will also be placed in the Public Document Room. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this investigation, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,



H. E. Book, Chief
Fuel Facility and Materials
Safety Branch

- A. Appendix A - Notice of Violation
- B. IE Investigation Report
No. 50-206/80-13

cc w/o enclosure B:
R. Dietch, Vice President
Nuclear Engineering and Operations, SCE
J. M. Curran, SCE