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Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
Attention: Mr. W. P. Gammill, Acting Assistant Director  
for Operating Reactor  
Division of Operating Reactors  
Washington, D. C. 20555

Gentlemen:

Subject: Docket No. 50-206  
Radiation Safety Certification of NRC Staff  
San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station  
Unit 1

Your letter dated October 2, 1979 requested that we advise you of our decision regarding the acceptability of the NRC initiated course in Radiation Safety which is proposed to be used in lieu of the course we provide for certification at our site. To deem the NRC course acceptable would eliminate the requirement for lengthy radiation training to those members of the NRC staff who are certified each time a site is visited.

We have reviewed the information regarding the NRC Radiation Safety Course and have concluded that it meets the requirements of our training program in this area. We will require a plant orientation tour in addition to that training, prior to placing the individual on the qualified escort list for unescorted access to controlled and exclusion areas of the plant. This is necessary to acquaint the individual with specific station practices and procedures.

If you desire any additional information, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

*JG. Haynes*

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