



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
REGION IV  
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January 15, 2015

Mr. Tom Palmisano  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Nuclear Officer  
Southern California Edison Company  
San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station  
P.O. Box 128  
San Clemente, CA 92674-0128

SUBJECT: CLOSURE OF INVESTIGATION (OI 4-2014-006)

Dear Mr. Palmisano:

This refers to an investigation conducted by the NRC's Office of Investigations regarding activities at San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station. The Office of Investigations initiated the investigation to determine whether a lead engineer employed at Southern California Edison Company assigned to the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, San Clemente, California, was the subject of discrimination for expressing safety concerns regarding replacement steam generator issues.

Based on the evidence developed during the investigation, the allegation that a lead engineer, Southern California Edison Company, was the subject of discrimination for expressing safety concerns regarding replacement steam generator issues was not substantiated. The NRC plans no further action related to the discrimination aspect of this allegation and considers this investigation closed.

You should note that final NRC documents may be made available to the public under the Freedom of Information Act subject to redaction of information pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act. Requests under the Freedom of Information Act should be made in accordance with 10 CFR 9.23, Requests for Records. Information is accessible from the NRC's website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/foia/foia-request.html#how>.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be made available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS), accessible from the NRC website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Vivian H. Campbell".

Vivian H. Campbell, Chief  
Allegation Coordination and Enforcement Staff

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