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Mr. Victor Stello, Jr. Executive Director for Operations U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Stello:

SUBJECT: ACRS ACTION ON PROPOSED REVISION 2 OF REGULATORY GUIDE 1.100, "SEISMIC QUALIFICATION OF ELECTRIC AND MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT FOR NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS"

During our 326th meeting, June 4-6, 1987, the members of the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards discussed a report from our Subcommittee on Reliability Assurance regarding proposed Revision 2 of Regulatory Guide 1.100, "Seismic Qualification of Electric and Mechanical Equipment for Nuclear Power Plants."

As a result of this discussion, we concur in the NRC Staff's proposal to issue the subject Guide for public comment. After the public comment period, we expect to review the proposed final version of this Guide together with the public comments and the NRC Staff's response to them.

Sincerely,

William Kerr Chairman

Reference:

Memorandum from Guy A. Arlotto, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research to Raymond F. Fraley, ACRS, dated May 8, 1987, transmitting:

- Proposed Revision 2 to Regulatory Guide 1.100, Draft 4, "Seismic Qualification of Electric and Mechanical Equipment for Nuclear Power Plants," dated December 4, 1986, and
- Proposed IEEE Standard 344-1987, "Recommended Practices for Seismic Qualification of Class 1E Equipment for Nuclear Power Generating Stations," Draft 9, dated July 1986

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