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SUBJECT: Clarifies statement in util 790702 ltr under Item 6 fire protection program. Intends to comply w/Section 5.c.2 of Branch Tech Position ASB 9.5-1, Revision 1 re surveillance of control & sectionalizing valves in firewater sys.

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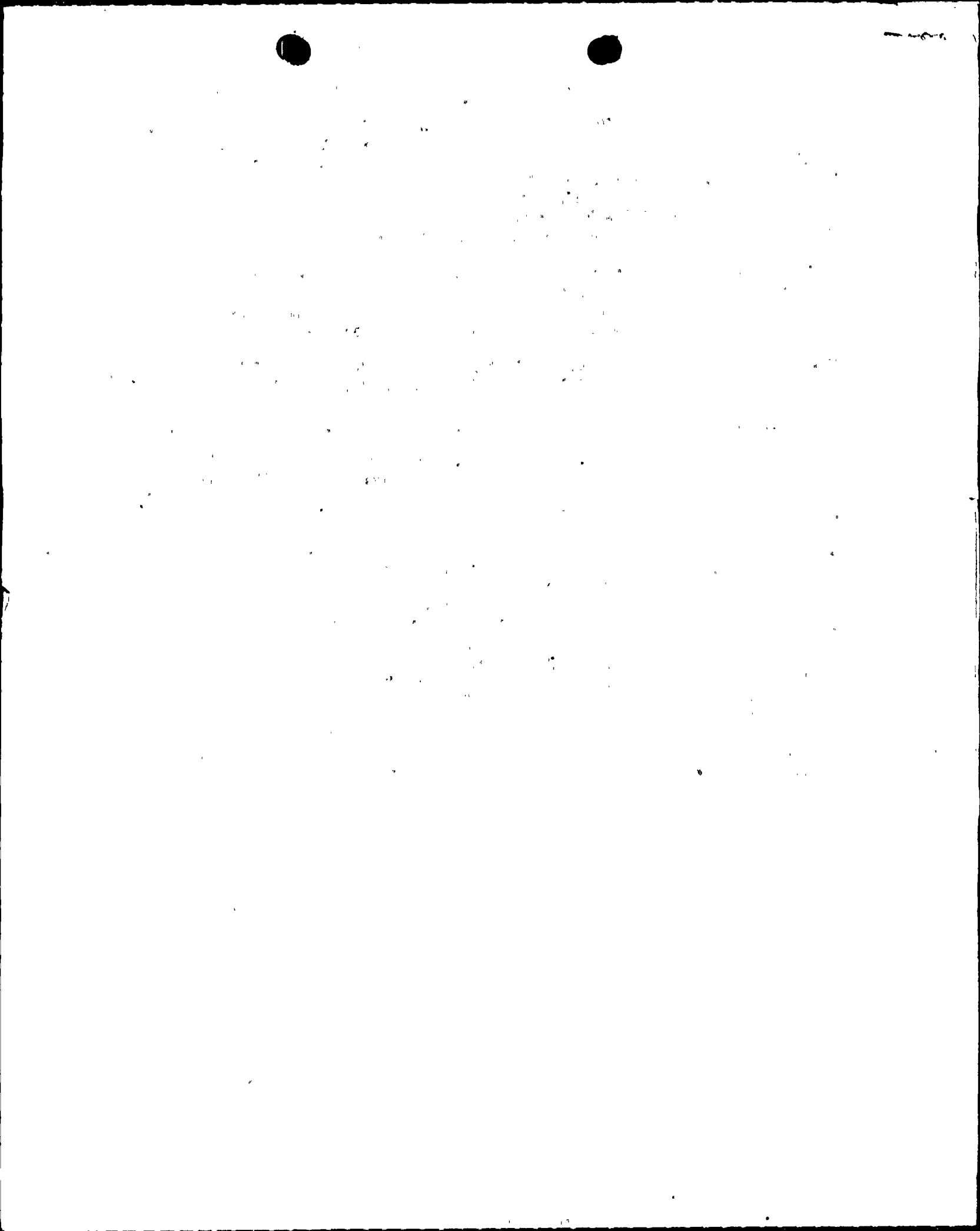
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Re: Docket No. 50-275-OL
Docket No. 50-323-OL
Diablo Canyon Units 1 & 2

Dear Mr. Stolz:

A statement made in our July 2, 1979 letter under "Item 6 Fire Protection Program" requires clarification.

It is our intention to comply with Section 5.c.2 of Branch Technical Position ASB 9.5-1, Revision 1, which states that control and sectionalizing valves in the firewater system should be electrically supervised or administratively controlled, and that all firewater system valves should be periodically checked to verify position..

We intend to electrically supervise the firewater yard loop valves and to administratively control all manual firewater valves that could affect firewater flow to the hose reels, hydrants, automatic sprinkler systems, and deluge systems. The administrative controls will consist of locking open the firewater valves with railroad boxcar-type seals and weekly documented surveillance of all firewater valves to verify proper position.

Very truly yours,

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