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December 28, 2016

Mr. Edward D. Halpin, Senior Vice President,
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SUBJECT: DIABLO CANYON POWER PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2 - NRC INSPECTION
REPORT 05000275/2016403 AND 05000323/2016403

Dear Mr. Halpin:

On November 17, 2016, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a security inspection at the Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Units 1 and 2, and the NRC inspector discussed the results of this inspection with Mr. J. Nimick, Senior Director, Nuclear Services, and other members of your staff. The inspector documented the results of this inspection in the enclosed inspection report.

The NRC inspector documented one finding of very low security significance (Green) in this report. This finding involved a violation of NRC requirements. The NRC is treating this violation as a non-cited violation consistent with Section 2.3.2.a of the Enforcement Policy.

If you contest the violation or significance of the non-cited violation, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington DC, 20555-0001; with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region IV; the Director, Office of Enforcement, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; and the NRC Resident Inspector at Diablo Canyon Power Plant.

If you disagree with a cross-cutting aspect assignment in this report, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your disagreement, to the Regional Administrator, Region IV; and the NRC Resident Inspector at Diablo Canyon Power Plant.

One cross-cutting aspect was assigned to a finding in the area of human performance, documentation. Specifically, Diablo Canyon Power Plant failed to create and maintain complete, accurate, and up-to-date documentation [H.7].

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Sincerely,

/RA/

Mark S. Haire, Chief
Plant Support Branch 1
Division of Reactor Safety

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