

SEP 26 1989

Mr. Wendell G. Peart
1452 South Wood Way
Roseville, California 95678

Dear Mr. Peart:

This is in response to your letter, dated September 15, 1989, to Mr. William T. Russell, Regional Administrator, NRC Region I in which you requested an estimated restart date for Nine Mile Point Unit 1 and the address of the Regional Administrator covering the State of Texas.

Regarding the restart schedule for Nine Mile Point Unit 1, a more appropriate source for this information would be the utility itself, since the completion schedule for hardware and programmatic improvements is wholly under its control. Nevertheless, it is our understanding that the utility anticipates the facility being ready to resume operations in the mid-to-late November 1989 timeframe. However, as you know, the Utility has agreed not to restart the facility without first obtaining the agreement of the NRC Regional Administrator. Several significant NRC inspections need to be completed to assemble the basis for this restart decision. Our current inspection schedule would show these reviews completed in November also.

Regarding your second question, the NRC Regional Administrator covering the State of Texas can be contacted at the following address:

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
ATTN: Mr. Robert D. Martin
Regional Administrator
611 Ryan Plaza Drive
Suite 1000
Arlington, Texas 76011

I trust this has provided an acceptable answer to your questions.

Sincerely,

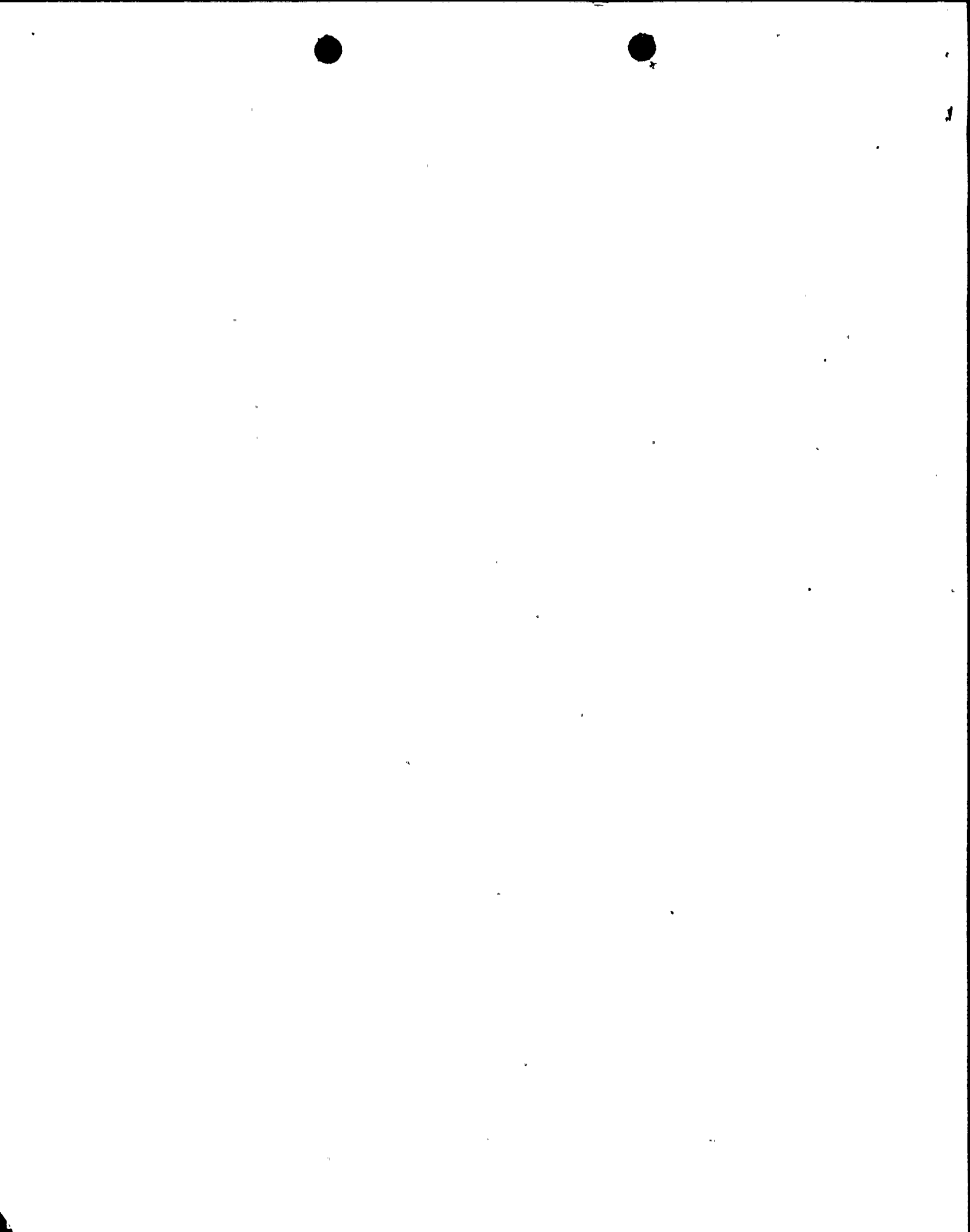
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