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SUBJECT: RECEIPT OF RESPONSE TO NRC's REQUEST FOR INFORMATION PURSUANT TO
10 CFR 50.54(f) REGARDING ADEQUACY AND AVAILABILITY OF DESIGN BASES
INFORMATION - NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT NOS. 1 AND 2
(TAC NOS. M97612 AND M97613)

Dear Mr. Sylvia:

This will acknowledge that the NRC staff has received your February 18, 1997,
response to our October 9, 1996, request for information pursuant to
10 CFR 50.54(f) regarding adequacy and availability of design bases
information. No additional information is needed at this time.

We are currently evaluating your response. Should we determine that
additional information is needed to complete the evaluation, I will notify
you. Any future written correspondence regarding this evaluation should
reflect TAC Nos. M97612 and M97613 for Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station, Unit
Nos. 1 and 2, respectively.

If you have any questions, contact me by phone at (301) 415-3049, or by
electronic mail at dsh@nrc.com.

Sincerely,

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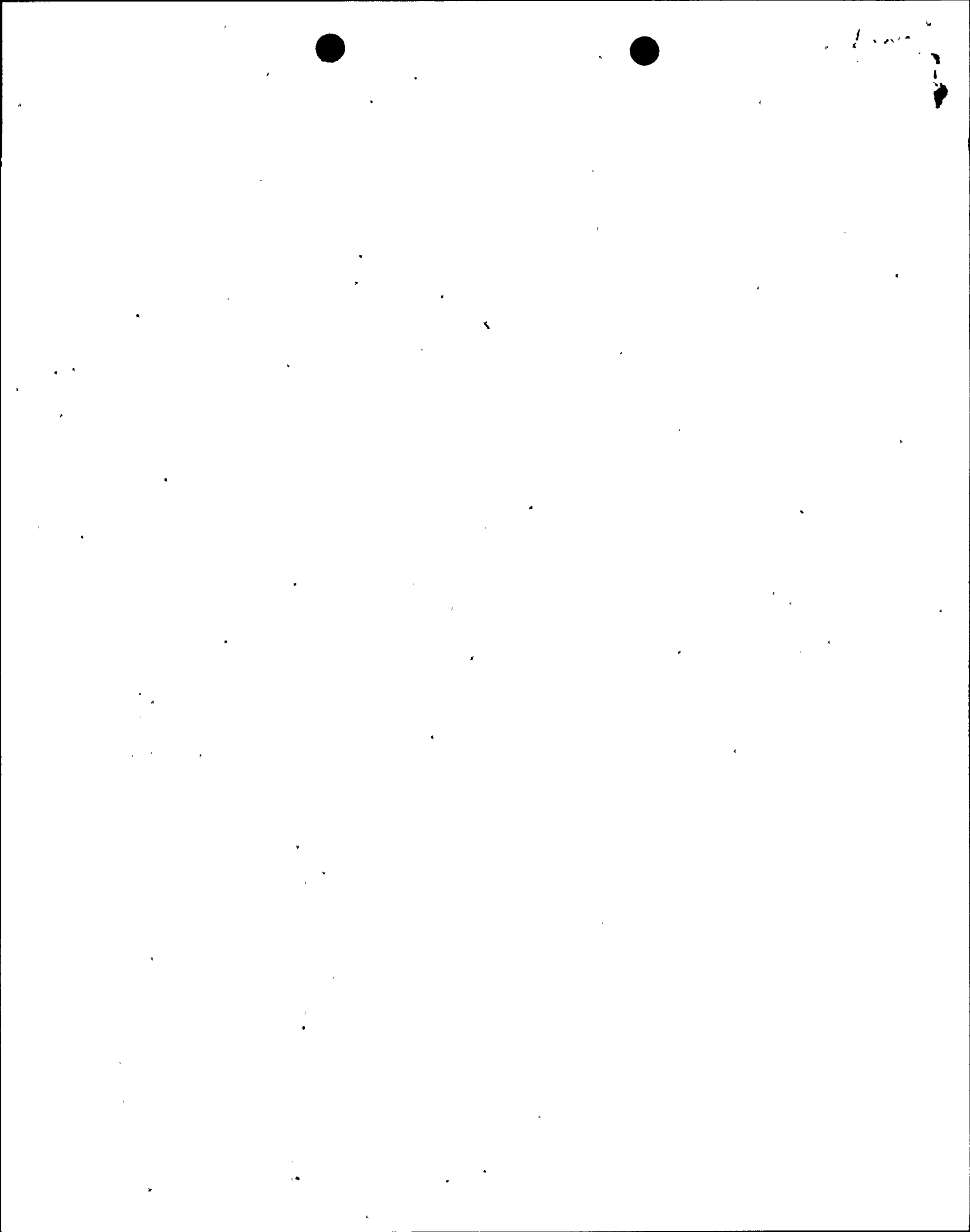
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