

May 23, 1986

Docket No. 50-397

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Dear Mr. Sorensen:

Subject: WNP-2 License Condition 2.C.(8) - High Burnup
Fission Gas Release

Reference: Letter to E. Adensam, NRC from G. Sorensen, Supply System;
Subject: Satisfaction of License Condition 2.C.(8), dated
February 4, 1986

The staff of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission has reviewed your letter of February 4, 1986 (Reference) in which you address certain staff concerns regarding the effects of high burnup on the fuel cladding. These concerns gave rise to the subject license condition.

The staff has independently concluded and agrees that the license condition 2.C.(8) is satisfactorily resolved. A copy of the related Safety Evaluation is enclosed.

Sincerely,

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Division of BWR Licensing

Enclosure:
Safety Evaluation

cc w/enclosures:
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