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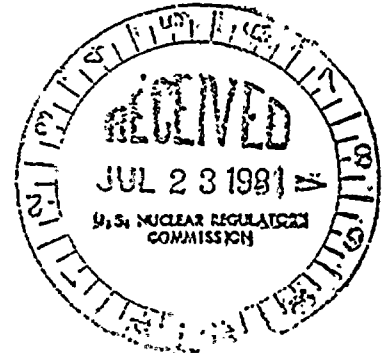
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REQUALIFICATION PROGRAM
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Dear Mr. Schwencer:

Attached are responses to NRC Questions concerning the Requalification Program for Susquehanna SES. This information confirms responses given during our telephone conversation of July 16, 1981. Participants in that conversation were E. R. Carlson and W. W. Williams of PP&L and R. M. Stark and R. Campbell of the NRC.

Very truly yours,

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In response to NRC questions concerning the Requalification Program for Susquehanna SES, the following clarifications and commitments are made. The next FSAR Revision will reflect these statements:

- 13.2.1.1 - If an individual scores <80% overall or <70% in any area on the annual exam, the license holder will be given accelerated upgrade training and re-examined within 2 weeks. Periodic quizzes will be administered after each series of lectures.

- 13.2.2.1.2.1 - Each license holder will perform at least 10 reactivity manipulations during the 2 year license period. These manipulations will be performed either on the plant or on the Susquehanna simulator.

- 13.2.2.1.4 - If an individual fails the annual exam, the person will receive accelerated upgrade training and be re-examined within 2 weeks. If the re-exam is failed, the person is immediately removed from license duties and a Performance Review Program will be implemented.

- 13.2.2.1.2.5 - All license holders will attend a minimum of 40 hours annually on the simulator.

13.2.2.1.5 - NRC approval will be required prior to resumption of license duties following an absence from license duties for four months or longer.

Last question (No number) - Each individual will receive a written examination and a performance evaluation annually. Should the written exam re-take be failed or the performance exam failed, the person is immediately removed from license duties and the Performance Review Program implemented.

PP&L plans to submit the operator replacement training program to the NRC for review by 15 October, 1981.

PP&L plans to submit the mitigating core damage training program to the NRC for review by 1 November, 1981.