

May 6, 1997

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SUBJECT: PALISADES PLANT - APPROVAL OF REVISION TO PIDAL IN-CORE MONITORING
CODE (TAC NO. M96288)

Dear Mr. Bordine:

The staff has completed its review of your request for approval of the revision to the PIDAL in-core monitoring code, submitted by letter dated August 6, 1996, and supplemented by letter dated October 9, 1996. The staff finds the proposed revision to be acceptable. A copy of our safety evaluation is enclosed.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY

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