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Docket Nos. 50-272 ✓
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Dear Mr. Schneider:

The NRC staff has completed an interim review of the Westinghouse Owners Group submittal for Action Plan Item I.C.1, Guidance for the Evaluation and Development of Procedures for Transients and Accidents. We have identified the following deficiencies in the Owners Group proposal:

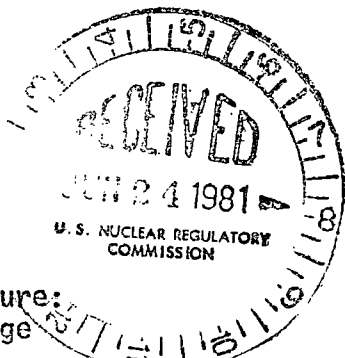
1. Proposed guidelines do not provide smooth transitions from the event procedures to direct the operator if subsequent multiple or consequential failures occur.
2. The proposed schedule for completing the program does not appear responsive to NUREG-0737, Item I.C.1 and we believe that additional work is necessary.
3. The staff has serious doubts that the full range of initiating events and subsequent failures can be addressed within the proposed event specific framework.

A copy of our letter to the Owners Group is enclosed for your information.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By

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