



Portland General Electric Company

Donald J. Egan, Assistant Vice President

January 7, 1980

Trojan Nuclear Plant
Docket 50-344
License NPF-1

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
ATTN: A. Schwencer, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #1
Division of Operating Reactors
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Sir:

To assist your Staff in carrying out its responsibility to inform the Atomic Safety & Licensing Board for the Control Building Proceeding of shutdown of the Trojan Nuclear Plant, the following information is provided concerning a Plant shutdown on January 6, 1980.

During the morning of January 6, 1980, main condenser vacuum began decreasing slowly. Plant output was reduced, the main turbine was tripped at 11:53 a.m., and the reactor was manually tripped at 11:59 a.m. An air leak into the main condenser has been repaired and the Plant returned to power operation at 10:10 a.m. on January 7, 1980.

Sincerely,

c: Mr. R. H. Engelken, Director
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region V

Mr. Lynn Frank, Director
State of Oregon
Department of Energy

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