

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20655

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Those on Attached List

Gentlemen:

Subject: Qualification Testing Evaluation Research Review Group

Meeting Report - Commission Connector Tests

On May 16, 1979, members of the NRC Qualification Testing Evaluation Research Review Group met to review the May 1, 1979 draft of "Connector Assembly Test Plan for Browns Ferry, Unit 3, Connectors." The purpose of the review was to focus on the technical details of the LOCA phase of the test in order to ensure that the Commission-directed connector tests duplicate as closely as practical the actual tests run by Wy Calboratories on the Browns Ferry-3 connectors.

The test plan was accepted subject to resolution of several details. Once resolution is obtained, a memorandum will be staffed through RSR, DSS and DOR for approval to proceed with the LOCA phase of the test.

Enclosed is a report of the May 16, 1979 meeting. Any comments, changes or requests for information should be sent to me. By copy of this memorandum, Sandia is formally authorized to complete resolution of the outstanding technical details.

Sincerely,

Ronald Feit, Chairman

Qualification Testing Evaluation

Research Review Group

Division of Reactor Safety Research

Enclosure: as stated

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