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Sacramento Municipal Utility District
ATTN: Mr. J. J. Mattiace
Assistant General Manager
and Chief Engineer
6201 "S" Street - P.O. Box 15830
Sacramento, California 95813

Gentlemen:

This office has received a copy of your July 13, 1979 Proposed Amendment No. 62 which you filed with the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (ONRR) for review and approval. The application proposed radiological effluent Technical Specifications (TS) for Rancho Seco Unit No. 1 (License No. DPR-54) as required by Appendix i of 10 CFR Part 50. Fees pursuant to 10 CFR 170.22 were not forwarded with your application because you considered the application to be exempt under the provision of Footnote 2 to 10 CFR 170.22. Although Footnote 2 permits certain Commission requested applications for amendments to be exempt from fees if issued for the Commission's convenience to clarify or simplify the license or TS, this exemption is not intended to apply to a licensee's application filed to comply with Commission regulations and guides. Therefore, your application is not exempt from the fee requirements of Section 170.22.

Based on guidance from the ONRR staff as a result of their preliminary review of your application, it has been determined that the previously indicated Class III amendment fee is appropriate for your July 13 request. The \$4,000 fee should be forwarded to this office. If final review of your application by the ONRR staff reveals that this fee is incorrect, you will be refunded any overpayment or billed for any additional amount due.

Sincerely,

W. O. Miller

William O. Miller, Chief
License Fee Management Branch
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