

#### UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

August 16, 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR: Edward L. Jordan, Assistant Director, Division of Reactor

Operations Inspection, I&E

G. Wayne Reinmuth, Assistant Director, Division of Reactor

Construction Inspection, I&E

FROM:

Steven A. Varga, Acting Assistant Director for Light Water

Reactors, Division of Project Management

SUBJECT:

CRACKING IN FEEDWATER PIPING SYSTEM

IE Bulletin No. 79-13 was recently sent to licensed operating facilities requesting that they perform certain examinations of the feedwater piping systems at Westinghouse and Combustion Engineering designed pressurized water facilities. This bulletin was also sent to applicants with plants still in the licensing review stage for information only. However, no specific inspection requirements were stipulated.

As we discussed in our meeting, it is our understanding that you concur that the Westinghouse and Combustion Engineering designed PWR's which are still in the licensing review stage, should be required to perform an inspection of the above cited piping and report these results to you before the issuance of an operating license in accordance with the guidelines delineated in the bulletin, and that you are already moving in that direction.

Also as discussed, the enclosed priority list should be used in your activities. Our need dates are also reflected on the list. Please let me know if there are any problems with our schedules,

> Yarga, Acting Assistant Director for Light Water Reactors

Division of Project Management

Enclosure: As stated

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## ENCLOSURE 1

### NEAR TERM OL'S

Salem 2 September 1979
North Anna 2 September 1979
Diablo Canyon October 1979
Sequoyah 1 October 1979
McGuire 1 November 1979
Zimmer November 1979

### NEAR TERM CP'S

Perkins 1-3

Pebble Springs 1 & 2

Skagit 1 & 2

Pilgrim 2

Allens Creek 1

Black Fox 1 & 2

FNP

As Required

#### 2ND WAVE OL'S

January 1980 (1) LaSalle 1 February 1980 (1) Shoreham March 1980 (1) San Onofre March 1980 (1) Summer October 1980 (2) Susquehanna November 1980 (1) Fermi 2 December 1980 (1) Watts Bar March 1981 (2) WPPSS 2

- (1) Status Issues Identified
- (2) Status Q-1's Issued

The above dates are final staff action prior to hearing or OL issue.

# ENCLOSURE 1 (Continued)

# D. 3RD WAVE OL'S AND CP'S

| Haven 1             | CP | October 1980   |
|---------------------|----|----------------|
| Grand Gulf          | OL | March 1981     |
| Farley 2            | OL | June 1981      |
| Waterford 3         | OL | September 1981 |
| Byron/Braidwood     | OL | September 1981 |
| New Haven 1 & 2     | CP | July 1981      |
| Midland 1 & 2       | 01 | November 1981* |
| Comanche Peak 1 & 2 | OL | November 1981  |
| Bellefonte 1 & 2    | OL | March 1982     |
| Catawba 1 & 2       | OL | September 1982 |
| South Texas 1 & 2   | OL | October 1982   |
| Erie 1 & 2          | CP | Not Scheduled  |
| Davis Besse 2 & 3   | CP | Not Scheduled  |
| Greenwood 2 & 3     | CP | Not Scheduled  |
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<sup>\*</sup>Item 4 on List of Issues requiring staff effort be and current active cases. Requires resolution in advance of review Schedule.

The above dates are CP or OL issue dates.