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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region V 1990 North California Boulevard Suite 202, Walnut Creek Plaza Walnut Creek, California 94596

Attention: Mr. R. H. Engelken Director of Regulatory Operations

Dear Mr. Engelken:

- Subject: WPPSS NUCLEAR PROJECT NO. 3 DOCKET NUMBER 50-508 REPORTABLE DEFICIENCY, 10CFR50.55(e) DEFECT/NONCOMPLIANCE REPORT NO. 008
- Reference: G03-79-2253, N. O. Strand to R. H. Engelken, same subject, dated December 3, 1979.

In accordance with the provisions of 10CFR50.55(e), your staff was informed by telephone on November 2, 1979 of a reportable condition involving the omission of vertical reinforcing steel in the shear wall separating the WNP-3 Fuel Handling Building and the Reactor Auxiliary Building. Attached is our final report concerning this deficiency.

All corrective action discussed in the final report will be implemented prior to our targeted placement of February 15, 1980.

Please contact us if you require additional information.

Very truly yours,

N. O. STRAND Managing Director

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Attachments

cc: D. Smithpeter - BPA WNP-3/5 Files - Richland Director of Inspection and Enforcement

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