

ERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER CORPORATION

SEVENTY SEVEN GROVE STREET

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REPLY TO

ENGINEERING OFFICE TURNPIKE ROAD

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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region I 631 Park Avenue King of Prussia, PA 19406

Attention: Office of Inspection and Enforcement

Mr. Boyce H. Grier, Director

- References: (1) License No. DPR-28 (Docket No. 50-271)
 - (2) USNRC Letter to VYNPC dated March 12, 1979;

IE Bulletin 79-03

(3) USNRC Letter to VYNPC dated September 14, 1979;

Inspection Report 50-271/79-12

Dear Sir:

Subject: Supplemental Response to IE Bulletin 79-03

Information provided in Reference (3) indicates that Vermont Yankee's original response to Bulletin 79-03 was inadequate because our answer did not directly address the Bulletin items. Consequently, a search of purchase order documentation has been conducted and it can be concluded that ASME SA-312, type 304 or other welded pipe manufactured by Youngstown Welding and Engineering Company has never been used at Vermont Yankee.

We trust this resolves the outstanding issue regarding IE Bulletin No. 79-03. Should you have any additional questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER CORPORATION

Manager of Operations

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