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MEMORANDUM FOR: Dennis L. Ziemann, Chief

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FROM:

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Division of Operating Reactors

SUBJECT:

YANKEE-ROWE STEAM GENERATOR WATER HAMMER

EVALUATION

Plant Name: Yankee Nuclear Power Station

Docket No.: 50-29

Responsible Branch: ORB#2 Project Manager: A. Burger Reviewing Branch: PSB Review Status: Complete

In response to Technical Assistance Request, TAC number 7809, regarding steam generator water hammer in the Yankee-Rowe Plant, the Plant Systems Branch has completed its review and found that acceptable precautions are being taken to minimize the occurrence of water hammer in the feedwater piping. The basis for our conclusions are provided in the enclosed Safety Evaluation Report and our consultant's report dated January 1980.

This completes our review of steam generator water hammer under TAC 7809.

G. Latnas, Chief

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