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Office of Inspection and Enforcement
Region I
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
631 Park Avenue
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License No. DPR-35
Docket No. 50-293

Schedule for Responses to IE Bulletin 79-01B

Dear Sir:

As verbally requested by Mr. Finkel of your staff, Boston Edison Company hereby submits it's anticipated schedule for responding to IE Bulletin 79-01B.

1. The 90 day response required by IE Bulletin 79-01B for Pilgrim Station shall be submitted prior to April 25, 1980. This response shall provide complete information, excluding aging, for all in-containment equipment and information on temperature, pressure and humidity for most of the outside containment equipment.
2. Our next response will be submitted prior to July 25, 1980 and will include aging for all in-containment equipment and both the Pipe Break Outside Containment environmental profiles and radiation evaluations for all outside containment equipment.
3. The final response shall be submitted prior to October 25, 1980 and shall complete any outstanding items including aging for components under the 79-01B scope.

Summary

	<u>Pressure/Temperature/Humidity</u> Inside/Total*	<u>Radiation</u> Inside/Total	<u>Aging</u> Inside/Total
4/25	100%/85%**	100%/45%	
7/25	100%	100%	100%/16%
10/25	100%	100%	100%

*Inside Containment/Total Scope 79-01B

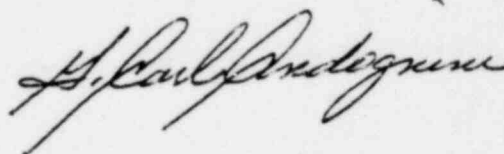
**% Complete of the total number of individual components involved.

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Delays in acquiring information for Pilgrim's equipment are attributed to a variety of reasons. Boston Edison's engineering resources have been distributed over numerous short term activities including supporting the refueling outage in progress, developing and implementing the NUREG-0578 modifications and providing expeditious responses to many other IE Bulletins and NRR requests. Vendor resources have also been strained by the similar requests for information from other utilities resulting in their assigning priority levels to these requests. For the older vintage plants, such as Pilgrim, vendors must search both their own plus subvendor records over 10 years old.

If there are any further questions concerning this matter please contact us.

Very truly yours,

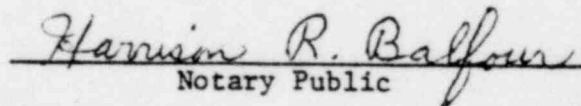


Attachments

Commonwealth of Massachusetts)
County of Suffolk)

Then personally appeared before me G. Carl Andognini, who, being duly sworn, state that he is Superintendent - Nuclear Operations Department of Boston Edison Company, the applicant herein, and that he is duly authorized to execute and file the submittal contained herein in the name and on behalf of Boston Edison Company and that the statements in said submittal are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

My Commission expires: 1/17/86


Notary Public

cc: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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