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MEMORANDUM FOR: E. Case, Deputy Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM:

D. Ross, Jr., Deputy Director, Division of Project Management

SUBJ .CT:

MEMO, DEYOUNG TO DENTON "PRECURSOR EVENT IN A FOREIGN

REACTOR" DATED 7/24/79

The subject memo (enclosed) asks four questions plus asks for all relevant information currently available. I have made the following arrangements:

- a. I will answer questions one and two; most of the discussion will be contained in our generic W report. I will send the foreign report to DeYoung.
- b. Moseley, IE, will handle the part 21 question, and answer question 3.
- c. Faulkner, IP, will answer question 4.

The subject memo does not accurately represent W plants as currently configured. Paragraph 3 of Bulletin 79-06A (April 13, 1979) required that the low pressurizer level logic be kept in the tripped condition. No one else used coincidence logic.

We are in the process of distributing the report to the industry; see the Enclosure from H. Faulkner.

Enclosures: As stated

cc: R. DeYoung V

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