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March 6, 1980

Docket No. 50-245

Mr. W. G. Gounsil, Vice President Nuclear Engineering and Operations Northeast Nuclear Energy Company P. O. Box 270 Hartford, Connecticut 06101

Dear Mr. Counsil:

RE: ENVIRONMENTAL QUALIFICATION OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT MILLSTONE NUCLEAR POWER STATION. UNIT NO. 1

Reference 1: Guidelines for evaluating environmental qualification of Class IE Electrical Equipment in operating reactors - Enclosure 1 to NRC letter to licensees, dated February 15, 1980.

Reference 2: Guidelines for identification of that safety equipment of SEP operating reactors for which environmental qualification is to be addressed - Enclosure 2 to NRC letter to licensees dated February 15, 1980.

In our meeting of February 21, 1980 regarding the subject program, we indicated that an accelerated review schedule was being developed for this program. The schedule is attached as Enclosure 1, which includes the required date for your submittal showing conformance to the qualification guidelines of reference 1.

The information to be provided in your submittal, as required by references 1 and 2, is summarized in Enclosure 2. Where you have previously submitted some of the required information, it is sufficient to incorporate information already on the docket by specific reference. It is not necessary to resubmit. However, an orderly organization of the information should be maintained. For example, if any previously submitted table is changed, revised pages should be submitted.

Enclosure I does not show submittal dates for Palisades and Oyster Creek, since the scheduled site visits for these plants precede any practical submittal date. Material provided for these two plants will be upgraded to the level of other plant submittals through a question-and-answer process.

Mr. W. G. Counsil - 2 -March 6, 1980 With respect to containment environmental conditions and systems required for accident mitigation we will request additional information, some of it prior to the dates listed in the enclosure, and provide some clarification of the guidelines. Sincerely, Johns V. Mandack

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SEP QUALIFICATION PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Plant	Licensee Submittal Date	Site Visit (week of)	Consultant Final Report
Palisades	Currently under review	1/21	6/30
Oyster Creek	Currently under review	3/10	7/21
Ginna	4/25	5/5	8/4
Zion 2	5/1	5/19*	8/11
Indian Pt. 3	5/1	6/2	8/18
Zion 1	5/1	6/9	8/11
Indian Pt. 2	5/1	6/16	9/2
Millstone 1	6/2	6/23	9/8
Haddam Neck	6/2	7/7	9/15
Dresden 2	6/2	7/14	9/22
San Onofre	6/2	7/21	9/29
Dresden 1	6/2	7/28	10/6
Yankee Rowe	6/2	8/4	10/14
LaCrosse	7/1	8/11	10/20
Big Rock Point	7/1	8/18	10/27

^{*}Effort will be made to perform a significant portion of the Zion 1 site evaluation at this time.

SEP QUALIFICATION PROGRAM SUBMITTAL CONTENT

- The emergency procedures and list of safety-related systems addressed in reference 2.
- The definition of and basis for the hostile service conditions both inside and outside containment addressed in reference 1 section 4.0, Service Conditions.
- The identification and justification of equipment considered qualified by experience in accordance with reference 1 section 4.3.3, Areas Normally Maintained at Room Conditions.
- 4. The tabulation of safety-related equipment located in a hostile environment, with identification of the service conditions and qualification testing for each, in the format used for either SEP Topic III-12 or IE Bulletin 79-018 submittals.
- 5. The list of equipment in the tabulation of item 4 that is not qualified in accordance with the specific requirements of reference l, together with justification for the deviations from the guidelines.

Reference 1: Guidelines for evaluating environmental qualification of Class 1E Electrical Equipment in operating reactors.

Reference 2: Guidelines for identification of that safety equipment of SEP operating reactors for which environmental qualification is to be addressed.