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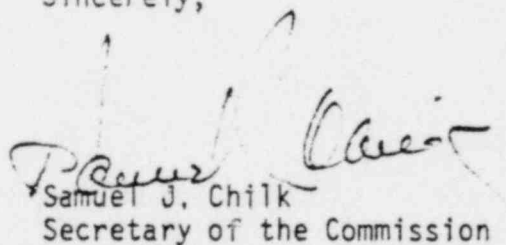
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Regulatory Guide 1.84, Revision 16, "Design and Fabrication Code Case Acceptability--ASME Section III Division 1," and Regulatory Guide 1.85, Revision 16, "Materials Code Case Acceptability--ASME Section III Division 1," list those code cases that are generally acceptable to the NRC staff for implementation in the licensing of light-water-cooled nuclear power plants. These two guides were revised to update the listings of acceptable code cases and to include the results of additional staff review.

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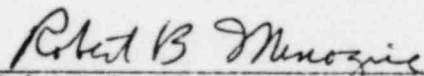
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Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 12th day of May 1980.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

  
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