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DAVIS-BESSE UNITS 2 AND 3 - STAFF REVIEW OF PARTICULAR AREAS REGARDING
REPLICATION

Reference: Summary of Meeting Held on August 14, 1975 (Enclosure 1
to this Memorandum)

As a result of the referenced meeting with the applicant, Mr. Rusche has directed the staff to meet as soon as possible with the applicant to discuss certain design considerations that the applicant contends could jeopardize his efforts to replicate Unit 1.

In order to carry out Mr. Rusche's directive, we have set a meeting date of September 3, 1975 in Room 372, East West Towers. At this meeting the applicant will present his justification for the design's not meeting staff positions as evidenced by our Q1s and Q2s, and will address the reasons why he believes the proposed design is adequate. The staff should be prepared not only to point out the staff's positions and how the design does not satisfy them but also to present the bases upon which the positions have been developed; i.e., the background reasons why the staff considers these factors to be of significant concern to safety. The staff should be prepared to evaluate the applicant's proposals by considering the equivalence in safety between the proposed design and the means the staff would normally consider acceptable.

Also enclosed, besides the referenced meeting summary, is a list of the applicant's items of concern. For each item there is a brief description of the problem and a listing of the staff's questions that are pertinent.

So that as much as possible can be accomplished at this meeting, I ask that your Davis-Besse reviewers refamiliarize themselves with the application and be prepared for detailed discussion of their areas of concern. If the reviewer is not familiar with the historical background of the contested positions, I suggest you consider having the branch chief, or other senior member familiar with the background, attend the meeting.

The LPM, Bob Benedict, will set up a timing for the agenda so that reviewers will know when their subjects will be addressed.

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Please let me know as soon as possible if there are any matters that will conflict with the scheduling of this meeting.

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Enclosures:

1. Meeting Summary
2. List of Areas of Concern
for Replication

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