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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

August 22, 1980

Docket No. 50-331

Mr. Duane Arnold, President Iowa Electric Light & Power Company P. O. Box 351 Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52406

Dear Mr. Arnold:

We have reviewed your response to our November 9, 1979 letter concerning those portions of your ECCS evaluation models, dealing with fuel cladding swelling and incidence of rupture.

We find that you have adequately confirmed the representations made in your behalf by your fuel supplier. We, therefore, conclude that your response is acceptable ind that no further action is necessary.

Sincerely,

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Thomas A. Ippolito, Chief Operating Reactors Branch #2 Division of Licensing

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