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SUBJECT: NRC I&E BULLETIN 80-19

FAILURES OF MERCURY-WETTED MATRIX RELAYS IN REACTOR PROTECTIVE

SYSTEMS OF OPERATING NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS DESIGNED BY

COMBUSTION ENGINEERING

Dear Mr. Grier:

The Fitz atrick Plant staff has completed a review of the subject Bulletin and determined that mercury-wetted relays are not used in the Reactor Protection System at the FitzPatrick Plant.

In view of this finding, no additional action is required.

Very truly yours,

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