



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
REGION V  
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WALNUT CREEK, CALIFORNIA 94596

AUG 26 1980

Docket No. 70-754

General Electric Company  
Vallecitos Nuclear Center  
P. O. Box 460  
Pleasanton, California 94566

Attention: Mr. R. W. Darmitzel, Manager  
Irradiation Processing Operation

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection of Vallecitos Nuclear Center

This refers to a routine inspection conducted by W. J. Cooley of this office on July 7-10, 1980, of activities authorized under NRC License Number SNM-960 and to the discussion of the findings held with a member of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

No items of noncompliance with NRC requirements were identified within the scope of this inspection.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you submit a written application to this office, within 20 days of the date of this letter, requesting that such information be withheld from public disclosure. The application must include a full statement of the reasons why it is claimed that the information is proprietary. The application should be prepared so that any proprietary information identified is contained in an enclosure

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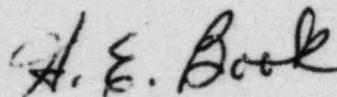
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to the application, since the application without the enclosure will also be placed in the Public Document Room. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,



H. E. Book, Chief  
Fuel Facility and Materials  
Safety Branch

Enclosure:  
IE Inspection Report  
No. 70-754/80-04