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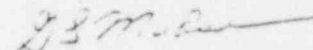


Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter of December 8, 1980 in reply to our letter and Notice of Violation dated November 21, 1980.

The issue which appears to be yet unresolved concerning ANSI 18.7 - 1972 and the independent verification of equipment control measures is being referred to IE Headquarters for interpretation and final resolution. We will then communicate to you the NRC position.

Sincerely,


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