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Docket Nos. 50-317
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- License Nos. DPR-53
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ATTENTION: Eldon J. Brunner, Chief

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Gentlemen:

This refers to your Inspection Report 50-317/80-15; 50-318/80-14, which transmitted one item of apparent noncompliance with NRC requirements. Enclosure (1) to this letter is a written statement in reply to that item in your letter of November 7, 1980.

Should you have further questions regarding this reply, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure (1)

ENCLOSURE (1)

REPLY TO APPENDIX A OF NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-317/80-15; 50-318/80-14

The procedure used to measure rack to rack and rack to wall clearance was inadequate. An improved procedural format set forth by CCI 217, "Plant Modification Procedures", which adds two additional levels of review has been approved and will be used for future work of this nature. This new procedural format was used for the successful repositioning of racks 1, 2, and 3.