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> Union Electric Company ATTN: Mr. John K. Bryan Vice President - Nuclear Post Office Box 149 St. Louis, MO 63166

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your interim report dated July 30, 1980, pursuant to 10 CFK 50.55(e) regarding Bergen-Paterson Pipe Support Strut with Mechanical Shock Arrestor. We will review your final report on this matter upon receipt.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Gaston Fiorelli, Chief Reactor Construction and Engineering Support Branch

cc: Director, RCI/II Director, AEQD Chief, OEB/MPA IE Files

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Dear Mr. Keppler:

SUBMITTAL DATE EXTENSION 10CFR50.55(e) REPORT BERGEN-PATERSON PIPE SUPPORT STRUT WITH MECHANICAL SHOCK ARRESTOR CALLAWAY PLANT UNIT 1

On July 2, 1980 we provided NRC Region III verbal notification of a 50.55(e) report regarding a potential bolt head-pipe clamp interference which may hinder the full function of Bergen-Paterson pipe support strut assemblies containing Pacific Scientific mechanical shock arrestors. We were advised of this deficiency and the recommended modifications by a Bergen-Paterson letter dated June 23, 1980. In a letter dated July 14, 1980, Bergen-Paterson provided a corrected list of affected pipe supports which needs further clarification.

Our A/E, Bechtel Power Corporation, is presently evaluating the modifications recommended by Bergen-Paterson and obtaining confirmation of the affected supports. We anticipate that we will be able to submit a final report covering this matter by September 30, 1980.

Very truly yours, John K. Bryan

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cc: H. M. Wescott, Region III B. H. Grier, Region I Victor Stello Jr., Director Office of I&E K. V. Seyfrit, Region IV Missouri Public Service Commission W. A. Hansen, NRC Resident Inspector, Callaway Plant

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