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Attention: Mr. R. H. Engelken, Director



Docket No. 50-206  
San Onofre Unit 1

Dear Sir:

This letter concerns Southern California Edison's current actions related to the NFS-4 Serial Number NAC-1E spent fuel shipping cask.

The attached immediate action letter from your office dated October 2, 1980, contained instruction regarding isolation of the subject cask. A subsequent letter dated December 9, 1980 also attached, provided authorization to proceed "in accordance with written, reviewed and approved procedures, establish a controlled work area around the cask, evaluate the radiological hazard present, ensure the integrity of cask closure, decontaminate the cask exterior, and move it to a trailer within the restricted area for storage."

Pursuant to the December 9, 1980 letter, we are preparing the cask for shipment from our facility to Atomic International per instructions from Nuclear Assurance Corporation. Radiological Surveys, verification of the integrity of cask closure, exterior cask decontamination, and removal to the trailer within the controlled area are proceeding in accordance with written, reviewed and approved procedures.

Cask preparation, trailer shielding, and transport will conform to the conditions of the attached March 4, 1981 letter from the Nuclear Assurance Corporation to the NRC and the March 20, 1981 letter from the NRC to the Nuclear Assurance Corporation.

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Actual transport of the cask will not proceed before NRC notification.

Please contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

Very truly yours,

*W. Haynes*

Enclosures

cc: L. Miller  
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