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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Ms. E.G. Adensam, Chief

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Dear Ms. Adensam:

Subject:

SUPPLY SYSTEM NUCLEAR PROJECTS NOS. 1 & 4

RISK ASSESSMENT

References:

Letter, Robert L. Tedesco, NRC, to Vincent Boyer,

Philadelphia Electric Co., "Limerick Risk Assessment",

January 5, 1981

The Supply System is currently scheduled to submit the FSAR for WNP-1/4 in December, 1981.

We have received a copy of the reference NRC letter to the Philadelphia Electric Company which states that because of the importance the NRC places on the Risk Assessment Study for Limerick, the final report on the study should be provided with the Limerick FSAR when it is tendered.

We are not aware of any statements in Regulatory Guide 1.70 or the various NUREG documents implementing TMI-2 changes which require or recommend the submittal of the risk assessment with the FSAR. Although we are currently planning to perform some risk assessment work related to WNP-1/4 during calendar year 1982, we do not plan to document these activities prior to submittal of the WNP-1/4 FSAR.

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We request the NRC's agreement that omitting the results of a risk assessment from the tendered WNP-1/4 FSAR will not be used by the NRC as a reason to reject the WNP-1/4 FSAR.

Very truly yours,

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