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Attention: Robert L. Tedesco, Assistant Director  
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: ADMINISTRATIVE AMENDMENTS TO GE LICENSING TOPICAL REPORT  
NEDE-24011-P-A-1, "GENERIC RELOAD FUEL APPLICATION",  
AUGUST 1979

- References:
- 1) Letter, R. E. Engel (GE) to R. L. Tedesco (NRC),  
"GE/NRC Meeting on Licensing Topical Report Update",  
4/9/81
  - 2) NUREG-0390, "Topical Report Review Status"
  - 3) Letter, J. F. Quirk (GE) to Olan D. Parr (NRC)  
"General Electric Licensing Topical Report NEDE-24011-P-A,  
Generic Reload Fuel Application", 9/11/81

As a result of the GE/NRC meeting on licensing topical report updates held in Bethesda on March 26, 1981 (documented in Reference 1), this letter resubmits previous amendments to the subject document which are classified as "administrative" by a GE review committee. It is requested that the NRC respond in the manner summarized in Reference 1 within forty-five days, so that the subject topical report can be maintained as a current reload fuel document.

Each amendment has been classified as either "administrative" or "safety-related" by a GE review committee using the guidelines of 10CFR50.59. An amendment is considered "administrative" if it does not violate any of the criteria for an unreviewed safety question developed using 10CFR50.59 as a basis, if it does not represent a change to the analytical basis used to establish technical specifications, or if an applicable SER is in place. Not satisfying any one of these criteria implies that the amendment is "safety-related" and requires formal NRC approval before implementation. These criteria are delineated for each amendment group on the enclosed Classification Justification Review Sheets. These sheets also include a brief description of the change and a list of affected text pages.

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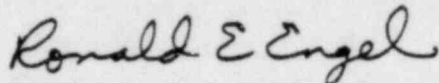
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As stated in Reference 1, the NRC may agree, disagree, or not comment on a revision classification. If the NRC disagrees with the classification, the revision will be submitted for NRC review in accordance with the procedures identified in Reference 2. Should the NRC either agree or not comment within 45 days of receipt of this letter, the proposed revision will be implemented on the designated date. The page changes enclosed with the notification letter will then be incorporated into the LTR and the LTR reissued.

Some of the pages in this revision contain information which the General Electric Company customarily maintains in confidence and withholds from public disclosure. The information has been handled and classified as proprietary to the General Electric Company as indicated in the affidavit attached to the initial submittal given in Reference 3. We hereby request that this information be withheld from public disclosure in accordance with the provisions of 10CFR2.790.

Maintaining licensing topical reports as current, accurate descriptions of models and analyses is advantageous to both GE and the NRC. Rapid incorporation of administrative amendments such as these is essential to this cause.

Very truly yours,



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cc: L. S. Gifford