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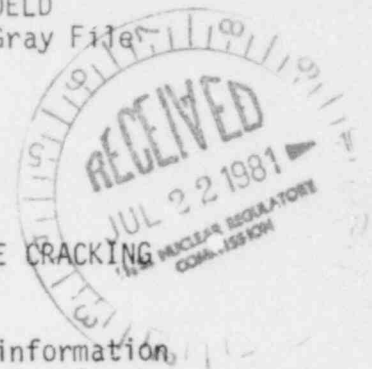
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Dear Mr. Finfrock:

RE: IMPLEMENTATION OF UNRESOLVED SAFETY ISSUE A-10, BWR NOZZLE CRACKING
 OYSTER CREEK NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION



By letters dated April 9, 1981 and May 22, 1981, you provided information regarding implementation of guidance from NUREG-0619 at the Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station. NUREG-0619, issued by letter dated November 13, 1980, contained the NRC staff's resolution of Unresolved Safety Issue A-10.

We have reviewed your submittals and have agreed with your assessment that, because of the Oyster Creek feedwater sparger configuration, no further modification of the reactor water cleanup system or feedwater low flow controllers will be necessary.

With regard to the control rod drive (CRD) hydraulic system, your letter of April 9, 1981 stated that system modifications were being considered, although your present system was approved for continued operation by the NRC staff. We will require NRC review of any proposed changes if they potentially impact the bases upon which our approval was granted. In any case, we will require your commitment to the CRD nozzle inspection frequency and method stated in Paragraph 8.2(5) of NUREG-0619.

Your letter of commitment should be submitted within 45 days of receipt of this letter.

Although similar requests for commitment have been and will be sent to other licensees regarding their implementation of NUREG-0619 guidance, each request is plant-specific and the effort required in response varies with the number of deviations from the NRC's guidance. Therefore, the reporting requirements contained in this letter are considered to affect fewer than 10 persons and are required to obtain a benefit. Accordingly, the requirements are not subject to Office of Management and Budget clearance as required by PL 96-511.

Sincerely,

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