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GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, P.O. BOX 460, PLEASANTON, CALIFORNIA 94566

November 22, 1982

Cecil O. Thomas, Chief  
Standardization and Special Projects Branch  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Reference: License TR-1, Docket 50-70

Dear Mr. Thomas:

As of October 31, 1982, all reactor fuel and fueled experiments, both irradiated and unirradiated, have been removed from the General Electric Test Reactor (GETR) facilities at the Vallecitos Nuclear Center (VNC). The only remaining SNM at the GETR are gram quantities in check sources and neutron detectors.

In view of the non-operating status of the GETR and the absence of material at risk, VNC requests that License TR-1 be amended to exempt the GETR from the physical security requirements of 10CFR50.34(c) and 10CFR73 and from all of the accountability requirements of 10CFR70.51, 10CFR70.57, and 10CFR70.58 during the period of time when fuel and fueled experiments are absent from the GETR facilities. The requested change and the safety analysis are attached.

A check in the amount of \$600.00 is attached for the minor amendment fee.

Sincerely,

G. E. Cunningham  
Senior Licensing Engineer

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Att.

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w/Check:

\$600.00

AFFIRMATION

The General Electric Company hereby submits the attached  
Proposed Amendment to License TR-1. To the best of my knowledge  
and belief, the information contained herein is accurate.

*RW Darmitzel*

R. W. Darmitzel, Manager  
Irradiation Processing Operation

Submitted and sworn before me this 22nd day of  
November, 1982. Christine Ariizumi, Notary Public, in  
and for the County of Alameda, State of California. My commission  
expires on April 2, 1985.

