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Attention: Mr. J. S. Berggren
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: FUEL NUCLEAR CHARACTERISTICS

References: 1) Letter, R. E. Engel to T. A. Ippolito, "Specific
Bundle Enrichment Nuclear Characteristics,"
April 30, 1980
2) Letter, R. E. Engel to T. A. Ippolito, "General
Electric Company Licensing Topical Report
NEDE-24011-P-A 'Generic Reload Fuel Application'
Amendment 8," August 26, 1980

A copy of the nuclear characteristics tables for eight new fuel bundle designs are being provided for your information as proposed in the Reference 1 letter. These new fuel bundle designs have been submitted for review in Amendment 11 of the General Electric Reload Licensing Topical Report (NEDE-24011-P-A-1).

These nuclear characteristic tables 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 General Electric as indicated in the affidavit of Reference 2 and we hereby request that these tables be withheld from public disclosure in accordance with the provisions of 10CFR2.790.

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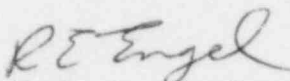
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Please contact W. A. Zarbis (408) 925-5070 of my staff if you have any questions related to these tables.

Very truly yours,



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Attachment

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