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MIDLAND PROJECT -

SURCHARGE OF THE BORATED WATER
STORAGE TANK FOUNDATION

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References: J W Cook letters to J G Keppler

- (1) Serial 11201, dated February 20, 1981
- (2) Serial 11528, dated April 3, 1981
- (3) Serial 12015, dated June 12, 1981
- (4) Serial 12799, dated June 26, 1981
- (5) Serial 13352, dated July 21, 1981
- (6) Serial 13653, dated August 28, 1981

This letter, as were the referenced letters, is an interim 50.55(e) report concerning the existence of cracks in the borated water storage tank foundation. Per discussion with C Jones of your staff on October 5, 1981, it was agreed that this interim report would be delayed beyond the date provided in reference 6.

Approval to surcharge the valve pit areas of the borated water storage tank foundations was received from the NRC staff on September 25, 1981. The surcharge operation will commence after the commitments are incorporated into the design documents. The analysis of the modifications to the foundation and of the borated water storage tank is in progress. A final report on the foundation analysis is expected to be completed by November 30, 1981.

Another report, either interim or final, will be sent on or before December 11, 1981.

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