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Mr. James G. Keppler, Director
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region III
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Docket Nos.: STN 50-546
STN 50-547
Construction Permit Nos.:
CPPR - 170
CPPR - 171

Marble Hill Nuclear Generating Station - Units 1 and 2

Dear Mr. Keppler:

On March 5, 1981, Mr. T. D. Geib of Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc. (PSI) notified your office of a potentially reportable item as required by 10 CFR 50.55(e). During an audit of ITT Grinnell Valve Company, PSI quality assurance personnel determined that ITT Grinnell was applying its PSI approved quality assurance program to only certain ASME Code related parts of safety-related diaphragm valves intended for use at Marble Hill. Further examination indicated that certain other parts of some of these valves may serve safety-related functions and were not handled under a PSI approved quality assurance program. ✓

At PSI's request ITT Grinnell, the valve designer, has identified which non-ASME Code component parts of its valve assemblies are important to insure the valves' safety-related functions. For these component parts ITT Grinnell has provided documented support which justifies their Certificate of Compliance to the valve specification.

Based upon this information, adequate assurance exists that the subject valves can perform their safety-related functions. This item therefore would not have affected adversely the safe operation of the plant and is not reportable under 10 CFR 50.55(e). If you have any questions on this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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