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In Reply
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Mr. R. H. Engelken
Office of Inspection & Enforcement
USNRC - Region V
1990 North California Boulevard
Walnut Creek Plaza, Suite 202
Walnut Creek, California 94596



Subject: Docket: 50-163; License R-67; 30-Day Report

Dear Mr. Engelken:

On August 31, 1978, W. Whittmore, the Physicist-in-Charge, informed your office by telephone of a reportable occurrence with the R-67 TRIGA reactor. This constitutes the 30-day written report following such an event and its telephone reporting. Attached hereto is a description of the event, wherein a reactor operation was at variance with the licensed power limit of 1500 KW (Thermal) and the corrective action taken.

We trust you will find the description of the event, the diagnosis and the remedial action are satisfactory.

Very truly yours,

GENERAL ATOMIC COMPANY

William R Mowry

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