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Docket Numbers 50-508 and 50-509

August 6, 1982  
G03-82-781

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region V  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
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Attention: Mr. D. M. Sternberg  
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Subject: PROJECT NOS. 3 AND 5  
NRC ITEMS OF NONCOMPLIANCE (50-508, 509-81-14-01),  
(50-508-82-04-01) AND POTENTIAL 10CFR50.55(e),  
(D/N #19, STRUCTURAL STEEL BOLTED CONNECTIONS)

- References:
- a) Letter G03-82-679, dated July 2, 1982, Mr. R. S. Leddick to Mr. T. W. Bishop, NRC Inspection at WNP-3/5, Noncompliance (50-508, 509/81-14/01)
  - b) Letter G03-82-524, dated May 21, 1982, Mr. R. S. Leddick to Mr. T. W. Bishop, NRC Inspection at WNP-3/5, Noncompliances (50-508/82-04/01) and (50-508/82-04/02)
  - c) Letter G03-82-525, dated May 21, 1982, Mr. R. S. Leddick to Mr. B. H. Faulkenberry, 10CFR50.55(e) Deficiency, Structural Steel Connections - Units 3 and 5 (D/N #19)

The referenced letters committed the Supply System to respond to the subject noncompliances by July 30, 1982 and the potential 10CFR50.55(e) by July 23, 1982. Responses to these items have been forwarded by the A/E to the Supply System for review. However, due to the nature of the deficiencies and the complexity of the associated corrective actions, further analysis and clarification is required. Consequently, responses for the subject items will be provided to your office as follows:

- Noncompliance (50-508, 509-81-14/01), Testing of Mechanical Containment Penetrations #23, 24 & 44 - Submitted by August 27, 1982
- Noncompliance (50-508/82-04/01), CB&I Quality Class D Containment Dome Inspection Platform and Ladders - Submitted by August 20, 1982

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- Potential 10CFR50.55(e) Deficiency, Structural Steel Connections, Units 3 and 5 (D/N #19) - Submitted by August 20, 1982

Should you have any questions or desire further information, please contact me directly.



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