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Gentlemen:

At our meeting with you on May 31, 1978, we indicated that our review of several SEP topics was essentially complete. We also stated that completed topic assessments would be sent to you for information and review and would be placed in the Public Document Rooms.

Our initial evaluation of eight of these essentially complete topics is enclosed. You are requested to carefully examine the facts upon which the staff has based its evaluation and respond either by confirming that the facts defining your plant are correct, or by identifying any errors. If in error, please supply corrected information for the docket. We encourage you to supply any other material for the docket related to these topics that you believe to be helpful.

At the May 31 meeting, the SEP Owners Group requested clarification of SEP documentation procedures and made several suggestions in that regard. Enclosure 1 is our response to the request and suggestions. It contains the documentation procedures to be used throughout the SEP program and discusses the bases for these procedures. Our documentation of the eight essentially complete topics in Attachment 1 illustrates the documentation procedure to be used.

We would appreciate any comments you may have to improve documentation of topic assessments.

Sincerely,

for Darrell G. Eisenhut, Assistant Director
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Enclosure:
NRC Response to the
SEP Owners Group
Suggestions

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