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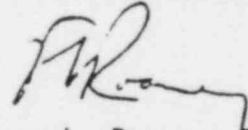
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Docket No. 50-133f

MEMORANDUM FOR: T. A. Ippolito, Chief, ORB #3, DOR  
FROM: V. L. Rooney, Project Manager, ORB #3, DOR  
SUBJECT: TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH JAY CARROLL OF PACIFIC  
GAS & ELECTRIC, OCTOBER 24, 1978

In a telephone conversation on October 24, 1978, Jay Carroll of PG&E informed me that last week PG&E made a decision to suspend until spring the present cycle of drilling operations which were started in May 1978 in the Humboldt Bay region. Carroll said that results of geological investigation to date were good, and he expected that PG&E would be able to convince NRC of the safety of resuming operation of the Humboldt Bay plant. Carroll said that the reason for suspending drilling operations during the winter were:

1. Drilling is more difficult and more expensive during the wet winter months. Some other less expensive field work will continue, and the results to date will be studied with the purpose of preparing for a meeting with NRC in the spring. Their consultants (Woodward & Clyde and Earth Science Associates) will be kept busy on these activities during this period.
2. PG&E wants to dig another trench before deciding where next to drill. They do not yet have the land owner's permission at the location they want to dig.

  
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