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REPLY TO: WVY 79-54 ENGINEERING OFFICE TURNPIKE ROAD WESTBORO, MASSACHUSETTS 01581 TELEPHONE \$17-366-9011

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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region 1 631 Park Avenue King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Attention: Office of Inspection and Enforcement Mr. Boyce H. Grier, Director

References: (a) License No. DPR-28 (Docket No. 50-271) (b) USNRC letter to VYNPC dated March 30, 1979 I & E Bulletin No. 79-04

Dear Sir:

Subject: Response to I & E Bulletin No. 79-04

In response to Reference (b), Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation hereby submits the following information relative to swing check valves manufactured by the Velan Engineering Corporation.

We have completed a survey to determine if 3, 4 or 6 inch diameter swing check valves, manufactured by Velan, are currently in use at Vermont Yankee. Based on information available we have concluded that none of the subject valves are in use in Seismic Category I piping system.

We trust this information is satisfactory; however, should you have any questions please feel free to contact us.

Very truly yours,

VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER CORPORATION

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