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Reference: Provisional License DPR-21  
Docket Number 50-245  
Reportable Occurrence RO-80-19/1P

Dear Mr. Grier:

This letter is forwarded to provide prompt notification of Reportable Occurrence RO-80-19/1P as required by the Millstone Unit 1 Technical Specifications.

On November 6, 1980 at 0925 hours during performance of Class II Inservice Inspection of the Isolation Condenser System, liquid penetrant examination of the inside diameter of the steam supply piping nozzle-to-isolation condenser vessel weld revealed circumferential cracking on both sides of the weld in the heat affected zone. The cause of weld cracking is not known at the present time; an investigation is in progress.

The plant is shut down for a planned refueling outage and the Isolation Condenser System is out of service. It will remain out of service pending investigation of the incident and completion of repair activities.

Additional information including results of the investigation and corrective action will be included in a 14 day follow-up report.

Yours truly,

NORTHEAST NUCLEAR ENERGY COMPANY

S.J. Mroczka  
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