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Washington, D. C. 20555

Attention: Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
Division of Licensing  
Operating Reactors Branch #3  
Mr. Robert A. Clark, Chief

References: (a) License No. DRP-36 (Docket No. 50-309)  
(b) MYAPCo Letter to USNRC dated August 10, 1982, MN-82-158

Subject: CONTAINMENT PURGING AND VENTING WHEN NOT IN COLD SHUTDOWN OR  
REFUELING MODE

Dear Sir:

In Reference (b), we submitted the subject response. The following information is submitted to clarify the use of the 8 inch globe valve:

The 8 inch globe valve is used for low flow on-line purging and to depressurize the containment prior to purging with the 42 inch valves.

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

Very truly yours,

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