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References: (a) License No. DPR-3 (Docket No. 50-29)
(b) Letter, USNRC to Yankee, dated November 22, 1988
(c) Letter, Yankee to USNRC, dated March 31, 1989
(d) Letter, USNRC to Yankee, dated August 3, 1989
(e) Letter, Yankee to USNRC, dated November 13, 1989
(f) Letter, USNRC to Yankee, dated November 30, 1989

Subject: Final Response to USNRC Bulletin 88-10, "Nonconforming Molded-Case Circuit Breakers"

Dear Sirs:

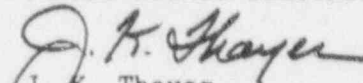
The USNRC, in Reference (b), requested Yankee to replace or test installed safety-related molded-case circuit breakers without verifiable traceability to the circuit breaker manufacturer during our 1990 refueling outage. Yankee decided to replace, and has replaced, all inservice safety-related molded-case circuit breakers without verifiable traceability with breakers conforming to the recommendations contained in the bulletin.

This letter completes Yankee's response to this bulletin, in that Yankee has removed all nontraceable safety-related circuit breakers from stock or inservice.

We trust that this letter is satisfactory; however, if you have any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

YANKEE ATOMIC ELECTRIC COMPANY



J. K. Thayer
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cc: USNRC Region I
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Then personally appeared before me, J. K. Thayer, who, being duly sworn, did state that he is a Vice President of Yankee Atomic Electric Company, that he is duly authorized to execute and file the foregoing document in the name and on the behalf of Yankee Atomic Electric Company and that the statements therein are true to the best of his knowledge and belief. 1/0

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