

January 15, 1991

Mr. George J. Beck, Chairman
BWR Owners Group
Philadelphia Electric Company
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Dear Mr. Beck:

On September 20, 1990, James M. Taylor wrote to you to inform you of his decision on an appeal by the BWR Owners Group to the anti-protected transient without scram (ATWS) rule. Mr. Taylor referenced an EG&G letter report, "A Review of Diversity in Trip Units," February 1990. The report contained data proprietary to the General Electric Company (GE), and, therefore, could not be released to the Public Document Room as required. Mr. Taylor stated that the staff would obtain a non-proprietary version of that report and forward it to you and the Public Document Room. I am enclosing a copy of the non-proprietary version of that report. Mr. R. M. Fairfield (GE), has reviewed the report and the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff has modified the report to conform with his requirements.

Should you have any additional questions or comments, please contact Paul Loeser of the NRC staff at (301) 492-0825.

Original signed by
Scott Newberry, Chief
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