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February 14, 1994

Docket Nos. 50-266
and 50-301

Mr. Robert E. Link, Vice President
Nuclear Power Department
Wisconsin Electric Power Company
231 West Michigan Street, Room P379
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53201

Dear Mr. Link:

SUBJECT: CLASSIFICATION OF AUXILIARY SYSTEMS NECESSARY TO ASSURE SAFE PLANT
SHUTDOWN AT POINT BEACH, UNITS 1 AND 2 (TACS M85284 AND M85285)

By letter dated November 16, 1992, the staff requested that you provide additional information related to the chemical and volume control system (CVCS) and the component cooling water (CCW) system. The staff's concern focused on the safety classification of these systems. This issue was initially identified for the CCW system as an unresolved item (Item No. 6) in the staff's inspection report 50-301/92018. As a result of further staff review, the issue was expanded to include the CVCS.

By letter dated December 22, 1992, you provided a response to the staff's request for additional information. This included your current definition of "nuclear safety-related" which is in accordance with Generic Letter 83-28, "Required Actions Based on Generic Implications of Salem ATWS (Anticipated Transient Without Scram) Events." In your response you also described the safety related and non-safety related functions of the CVCS and CCW system. The description included a discussion of past and currently planned system and component classification upgrades from non-safety related to safety related for these systems.

By letter dated June 17, 1993, and in a telephone conversation with the staff on January 27, 1994, you provided additional information related to auxiliary systems classifications. You stated that all classification upgrades have been completed, all system walkdowns have been performed, and all other actions committed to in your December 22, 1992, letter have been fulfilled.

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The staff has reviewed your classifications and classification changes for the CVCS and CCW system, and concurs with your conclusion that the classification of these systems, with the completed upgrades, is adequate. This completes the staff effort on TACs M85284 and M85285. If you have any questions regarding this issue, please contact me at (301) 504-1390.

Sincerely,

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