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Docket No. 99901047

Mr. R. Howard Smith, Director
Corporate Quality Assurance
Pacific Nuclear Systems, Inc.
1010 South 336th Street
Federal Way, WA 98003

Dear Mr. Smith:

SUBJECT: REVISION OF PACIFIC NUCLEAR SYSTEMS, INC. QUALITY ASSURANCE
MANUAL

Your letter of January 15, 1991 transmitted Edition 2, Revision 1, of the Pacific Nuclear Systems, Inc. (PNSI) Quality Assurance Manual. Edition 2, Revision 1, was originally submitted on May 21, 1990. The May 1990 submittal recognized other divisions of PNSI, and our review of it resulted in our request for additional information dated July 27, 1990. The latest transmittal acceptably addresses that request.

Therefore, we conclude that Edition 2, Revision 1, of the PNSI Quality Assurance Manual continues to describe an acceptable quality assurance program for the design and manufacture of systems for long-term interim storage of irradiated nuclear fuel assemblies. That is, when properly implemented, the quality assurance program described in the manual will meet the requirements of Subpart G of 10 CFR Part 72.

Should you have any questions regarding our review, please contact Jack Spraul of my staff on (301) 492-1023.

Sincerely,
Original signed by E. William Brach
E. William Brach, Chief
Performance and Quality Evaluation Branch
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