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Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Mr. Domenic B. Vassallo, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch No. 2
Division of Licensing

Subject: James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-333
NUREG-0737 Items II.F.1.4 Containment Pressure Monitor
Containment Water Level Monitor
Containment Hydrogen Monitor

Reference: NRC letter, D. B. Vassallo to L. W. Sinclair, dated
February 2, 1983

Dear Sir:

The Authority has reviewed your request for additional information on the subject items. The Authority will provide, and justify, time response and accuracy for the containment pressure monitors, accuracy for the water level monitors, and accuracy and placement for the hydrogen monitors, in accordance with the requirements of NUREG-0737. This information is being compiled, and will be transmitted to you as soon as possible.

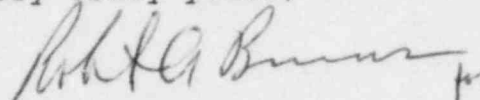
Your letter requested the submittal of additional technical information far more detailed than that which is required by NUREG-0737. The information requested is also more detailed than that required to evaluate the Authority's conformance to NUREG-0737. To obtain the requested technical details at this time, long after the equipment was procured, would require a substantial amount of time and the expenditure of significant additional funds. The Authority will provide the information identified in the NUREG. We are confident that it will be sufficient to evaluate the conformance of the subject monitors to the NUREG criteria.

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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. J. A. Gray, Jr. of my staff.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. P. Bayne", with a small mark at the end of the signature.

J. P. Bayne ,
Executive Vice President
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cc: Mr. J. Linville
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