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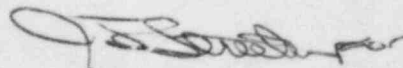
Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letters dated July 23 and September 10, 1982, regarding the noncompliance which we brought to your attention in Inspection Report Nos. 50-295/82-14 and 50-304/82-13 forwarded by our letter dated August 13, 1982. During a telephone conversation on October 4, 1982, between Mr. Stiede of your staff and Mr. Streeter of my staff, Mr. Streeter reaffirmed our position that any reactor trip related to a valid protection system action is not an inadvertant trip. Therefore, we cannot accept your interpretation of Technical Specification 1.0.D as detailed in the enclosure to your September 10, 1982, letter.

Since the July 25, 1982, reactor trip which was the subject of the noncompliance was related to a valid protection system action (i.e., turbine trip/reactor trip), it continues to be our view that the trip was not an inadvertant trip as defined by Technical Specification 1.0.D. Mr. Stiede confirmed to Mr. Streeter that any future similar reactor trips related to valid protection system actions will not be considered as inadvertant trips until such time as you request and are granted a change to Technical Specification 1.0.D to allow them to be considered inadvertant trips. We understand that you view our position to be overly conservative and that you intend to consider submitting a request to NRR to change Technical Specification 1.0.D.

We will examine these matters during a subsequent inspection. Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,



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