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Attention:

Mr. R. H. Engelken, Regional Administrator

Dear Sir:

Subject: Docket No. 50-206

24-Hour Confirmation Letter Licensee Event Report No. 82-025

San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 1

This letter provides written confirmation of a 24-hour report made in accordance with Section 6.9.2.a(2) of Appendix A to Provisional Operating License DPR-13. The prompt notification was made to Mr. L. F. Miller, Resident Inspector for Unit 1, on October 13, 1982 and deals with the discovery, on two occasions, of failure to provide required fire watch coverage.

The first occasion took place on October 12, 1982 when the fire watch posted at the Turbine Lubrication Oil Reservoir Area was determined to not have been at his post for a period of time prior to 3:45 a.m. This condition was first noted by the resident inspector.

The second occasion occurred on October 13, 1982. While in Mode 5 at approximately 4:00 a.m. on October 13, 1982, radiographs were taken in the 4160-Volt Switchgear Room and the Turbine Lubrication Oil Reservoir Area. Fire watch patrols that had been established in these areas were secured to prevent unnecessary radiation exposure. Due to a misunderstanding, the fire watch patrols were not resumed until 5:30 a.m. when the day-shift fire watch patrols for the 4160-Volt Switchgear Room and the Turbine Lubrication Oil Reservoir Area arrived. The time period without fire watch patrol exceeded the required one-hour interval by about 30 minutes.

R. H. Engelken -2-October 14, 1982 There was no adverse effect on public health or safety as a result of these occurrences. A complete report of this matter together with Licensee Event Report No. 82-025 will be forwarded within 14 days. Sincerely, ABRAY cc: L. F. Miller (USNRC Resident Inspector, San Onofre Unit 1)