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ATTENTION:

MR. R. W. BORCHARDT

SUBJECT:

AP600 PASSIVE CONTAINMENT COOLING SYSTEM LETTER REPORTS

Dear Mr. Borchardt:

Enclosed is a letter report addressing a phenomenological topic for the AP600 Passive Containment Cooling System (PCCS). This letter report is the third in a series of reports intended to provide the NRC with a status on ongoing activities associated with the validation activities for the WGOTHIC computer code.

Enclosure 1 -Westinghouse AP600 Letter Report, "AP600 Containment Plume Investigation," May, 1993

Enclosure 2 -Non-proprietary copy of Enclosure 1

The enclosed letter report provides an evaluation of the potential for recirculation of PCCS effluent into the containment baffle region inlets. Applicable literature dealing with this phenomenon for cooling towers has been used in lieu of previously planned Wind Tunnel Phase 3 tests.

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