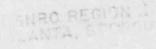
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REFERENCE: RII: JPO 50-321 I&E Bulletin 80-13

ATTENTION: Mr. James P. O'Reilly

GENTLEMEN:

Pursuant to the requirements of NRC I&E Bulletin 80-13, "Cracking In Core Spray Spargers," please be advised that a visual inspection was performed on the Hatch Unit 1 Core Spray spargers and associated piping during the maintenance/refueling outage currently in progress. Using remote underwater television cameras (with the required viewing in situ of .001 in. diameter fine wires), no cracking of the Core Spray spargers or in-vessel piping was observed.

In addition, the Core Spray sparger bracket lugs were examined in conjunction with the bulletin-required examination as part of an augmented inservice inspection because of the chloride intrusion experienced during April 1982. No cracking of the bracket lugs was observed.

If you have any questions in this regard, please contact this office.

Sincerely yours,

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