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Dear Mr. Garrity:

SUBJECT: TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR PRESSURIZER HEATERS

We have reviewed your letter dated July 6, 1983 concerning the need for technical specifications concerning pressurizer heaters. We agree with your conclusions that adequate pressurizer heater capacity would be available, through use of the backup heaters, to maintain sufficient heater capacity for natural circulation cooldowns and that a revision to the TS is not necessary. This updates our finding of April 29, 1980 that there is 150 kW of heater capacity on each train of emergency power. We find your response is acceptable, and no further action by you is necessary.

Sincerely,
 Original signed by
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