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In the Matter of
Philadelphia Electric Company
(Limerick Generating Station, Units 1 and 2)
Docket Nos. 50-352 and 50-353

Gentlemen:

During the course of preparation for the upcoming hearing regarding structural response of safety related structures to postulated pipeline explosions, it was determined that it was theoretically possible to exceed the pressures presented in Applicant's testimony. This was only identified late last Friday, February 24, 1984, and only confirmed yesterday, February 27, 1984, after working through the weekend. While the ultimate conclusions of the testimony have not changed, it was necessary to revise the testimony to fully discuss this matter.

The revised testimony is being delivered to Mr. Anthony, representative of FOE, today and will be delivered to the Board and Staff early tomorrow. The revised testimony was discussed with the NRC Staff today.

Calculations supporting the revised testimony will be made available to Mr. Anthony at the document room which he is scheduled to visit tomorrow. Additional material previously requested by Mr. Anthony regarding the structural design of the cooling towers, duct banks, RHR and Emergency Service Water piping, and strength of concrete for the reactor and diesel

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generator buildings have also been provided at the document room.

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