

THE CINCINNATI GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY



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Docket No. 50-358

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region III
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Attention: Mr. J.G. Keppler
Regional Administrator

Gentlemen:

RE: WM. H. ZIMMER NUCLEAR POWER STATION - UNIT 1
10CFR50.55(e), ITEM M-101; ITT HYDROMOTOR
ACTUATOR OIL SEAL LEAKAGE
W.O. 57300, JOB E-5590, FILE NO. 956C, M-101

This letter is in regard to the subject condition initially reported to the Commission on November 2, 1983 as a potentially reportable deficiency under 10CFR50.55(e). This item is the result of a review of an unresolved CG&E nonconformance report, 81-65-E of 5/6/81, documenting this condition, along with a review of correspondence in the 50.55(e) M-14 file concerning HVAC damper actuator deficiencies which was originally identified to CG&E in April 1980, by NRC IE Bulletin 80-09.

CG&E has determined that this condition does not represent a reportable condition under 10CFR50.55(e) since the plant's preventative maintenance program should preclude oil leakage to the point of failure. Nevertheless, the following corrective actions will be taken to correct the damper actuator deficiencies reported under Item M-14 and including the oil leakage problem:

1. Remove the top and yoke assembly covers and inspect all 110 damper actuators for oil leakage.
2. On a scheduled basis, remove from service and disassemble those actuators indicating oil leakage and determine probable cause.
3. Correct any actuator shaft and/or damper linkage misalignment.
4. Resolve all other damper actuator deficiencies.

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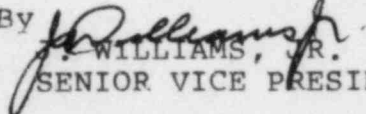
Corrective work will proceed under the program described in the Course of Action submitted to the NRC on October 5, 1983.

The resolution of the subject condition, as outlined above, will be included in the final report for 50.55(e) M-14 (HVAC Damper Actuator Deficiencies).

We trust the above will be found to be an acceptable resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

THE CINCINNATI GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

By  WILLIAMS, JR.
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