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EA 91-149

Wisconsin Electric Power Company
ATTN: Mr. James J. Zach, Vice President
Nuclear Power Department
231 West Michigan, Room 308
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53201

Dear Mr. Zach:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated February 5, 1992 and your check for \$150,000 in payment for the civil penalties proposed by NRC in a letter dated January 10, 1992. Your corrective actions will be examined during future inspections.

In your letter you indicated that you believed that the portion of OP-13B which directs closure of the MSIVs during a secondary system shutdown without measurement of the closure time should not be considered as preconditioning of the valve. You further indicated that you would discuss this matter during a meeting with the NRC on February 24, 1992. As a result of those discussions, it is now the NRC's understanding that the closure time of the MSIVs will be obtained during performance of OP-13B when conducting a normal shutdown. If your understanding of this matter is different, please contact us immediately.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By
James Lieberman

James Lieberman, Director
Office of Enforcement

cc: A. B. Davis, RIII

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