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- References:
- 1) Fermi 2
NRC Docket No. 50-341
NRC License No. NPF-43
 - 2) Detroit Edison letter to NRC,
"Response to Inspection Follow-up
Items 95002-01 and 95002-02," NRC 95-0034,
dated April 7, 1995
 - 3) Detroit Edison letter to NRC,
"Relief Requests for Inservice
Testing Program for Pumps and
Valves," NRC-95-0077,
dated July 14, 1995

Subject: Relief Requests for Inservice Testing
Program for Pumps and Valves

This letter confirms the telephone conversation between our Mr. John Wald et al and Mr. Timothy G. Colburn et al of your staff on August 10, 1995. As discussed, Detroit Edison has started development of fixed reference values for the pump tests which were the subject of the interim relief requested in Reference 3. The development of these fixed reference values is being accomplished with the normally scheduled pump and valve operability test. During these tests, the appropriate data will be collected per procedure NPP 47.000.03, "ASME Section XI Pump Reference Value Testing Instruction". The new fixed reference values will be incorporated into appropriate procedures as a replacement for the reference curves.

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The development of fixed reference values for all pumps in the IST program (except for Standby Liquid Control, Core Spray, Residual Heat Removal Service Water, and Emergency Equipment Cooling Water pumps) began on August 11, 1995 and is expected to be completed by October 26, 1995.

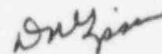
Detroit Edison intends to validate the fixed reference values during the next quarterly in-service testing of the pumps which should be completed by the end of January, 1996. As noted by Mr. Colburn, Detroit Edison does not require interim relief (Reference 3) from the requirements of Article IWP-1500 and IWP-3000 for fixed reference values.

The following revised commitment is being made in this letter:

Develop fixed reference values for pumps in the IST program (except for Standby Liquid Control, Core Spray, Residual Heat Removal Service Water, and Emergency Equipment Cooling Water pumps) by January 31, 1996

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Mr. Hari O. Arora at (313) 586-4213.

Sincerely,



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