

## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION 50-348/364

August 29, 1995

Mr. Nicholas J. Liparulo, Manager Nuclear Safety Regulatory and Licensing Activities Nuclear Technology Division Westinghouse Electric Corporation P. O. Box 355 Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15230-0355

SUBJECT:

REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING INFORMATION FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

JOSEPH M. FARLEY NUCLEAR PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2

Dear Mr. Liparulo:

By your application dated August 2, 1995, and affidavit by Henry A. Sepp dated August 2, 1995, you submitted WCAP-13632, Revision 2, "Elimination of Pressure Sensor Response Time Testing Requirements," and requested that it be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR Section 2.790. A non-proprietary version was also submitted to be placed in the Public Document Room.

You stated that the submitted information should be considered exempt from mandatory public disclosure for the following reasons:

- The information reveals the distinguishing aspects of a process (or component, structure, tool, method, etc.) where prevention of its use by any of Westinghouse's competitors without license from Westinghouse constitutes a competitive economic advantage over other companies.
- It use by a competitor would reduce his expenditure of resources or 2. improve his competitive position in the design, manufacture, shipment, installation, assurance of quality, or licensing a similar product.

We have reviewed your application and the material in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.790 and, on the basis of your statements, have determined that the submitted information sought to be withheld contains proprietary commercial information.

Therefore, the version(s) of the submitted information marked as proprietary will be withheld from the public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(b)(5) and Section 103(b) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

Withholding from public inspection shall not affect the right, if any, of persons properly and directly concerned to inspect the documents. If the need arises, we may send copies of this information to our consultants working in this area. We will, of course, ensure that the consultants have signed the appropriate agreements for handling proprietary information.

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If the basis for withholding this information from public inspection should change in the future such that the information could then be made available for public inspection, you should promptly notify the NRC. You also should understand that the NRC may have cause to review this determination in the future, for example, if the scope of a Freedom of Information Act request includes your information. In all review situations, if the NRC makes a determination adverse to the above, you will be notified in advance of any public disclosure.

Sincerely,

Byvon Siegel, Project Manager

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Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY B. SIEGEL

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