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In the Matter of
ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY, ET AL.
(Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3)
Docket Nos. STN 50-529 and STN 50-530 *OC*

Dear Ms. Bernabei:

In accordance with Staff's agreement to keep you informed regarding the problems caused during the hot functional testing of Unit 1, enclosed is a June 21, 1984 letter from E. E. Van Brunt, Jr. of the Arizona Public Service Company which relates to this subject.

Sincerely,

Lee Scott Dewey
Counsel for NRC Staff

Enclosure: As stated

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Arizona Public Service Company

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. George Knighton, Chief
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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

ANPP-29791-EEVBJr/WFQ
June 21, 1984

Subject: Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (PVNGS)
Units 1, 2, and 3
Docket Nos. STN 50-528/529/530
File: 84-019-026; D.4.33.2

- References: (1) Letter from E. A. Licitra, NRC, to Docket file, dated April 27, 1984, Subject: Summary of Meeting Concerning Testing of Palo Verde Components.
- (2) Letter from E. E. Van Brunt, Jr., APS, to T. W. Bishop, NRC Region V, (ANPP-28514-KCP/BSK), dated December 30, 1983, Subject: Final Report-DER 83-55, A 50.55(e) Report Relating to Missing Thermal Liner in the Safety Injection System Line.

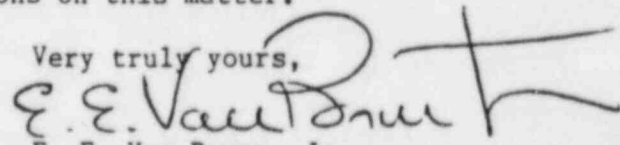
Dear Mr. Knighton:

During our meeting on March 20, 1984, APS stated that it would submit additional information to the staff relating to the removal of the pressurizer surge line thermal sleeve. The reference (1) letter documented our statement.

Attached please find the additional information which consists of an evaluation to support our judgement to remove the surge line thermal liner. The information provided in the attachment is held by Combustion Engineering to be proprietary information as described in and covered by the affidavit submitted with the CEN-264(V)-P report which was provided in our December 30, 1983, submittal, reference (2).

Please contact me if you have any questions on this matter.

Very truly yours,



E. E. Van Brunt, Jr.
APS Vice President
Nuclear Production
ANPP Project Director

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Attachment

cc: E. A. Licitra (w/a)
A. C. Gehr (w/a)

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