

October 12, 1995

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SUBJECT: TEMPORARY NON-CODE REPAIR OF SERVICE WATER PIPING - VERMONT YANKEE
NUCLEAR POWER STATION (TAC NO. M93685)

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Sincerely,

Original signed by:

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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket No. 50-271

Enclosure: Safety Evaluation

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