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Dear Mr. Harrington:

SUBJECT: PILGRIM STATION ISI PROGRAM - REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Your letter of June 28, 1984 (BECO 84-095) included a request PRR-9 for relief from inservice inspection (ISI) requirements for 21 nozzles. This request was in your response to NRC question 11 on the Pilgrim ISI program.

The 1981 examination report by SWRI on two reactor vessel nozzles (N1B and N2K) noted limitations to the volumetric examination of all areas of each nozzle (nozzle-to-vessel welds, nozzle inside radiused sections, and nozzle-to-safe end welds). Relief Request PRR-9 does not address these limitations. Please revise this relief request to include all nozzle areas requiring relief. The revised request should also state what percentage of the required volume of each nozzle can be examined with meaningful results.

The reporting and/or recordkeeping requirements contained in this letter affect fewer than ten respondents; therefore, OMB clearance is not required under P.L. 96-511.

Please respond to this request within 30 days after receiving it or inform us by then as to the date we may expect your reply.

Sincerely,

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