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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING APPEAL BOARD

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Administrative Judges:

Thomas S. Moore, Chairman  
Dr. John H. Buck  
Dr. W. Reed Johnson

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In the Matter of  
PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY  
(Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power  
Plant, Units 1 and 2)

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Docket Nos. 50-275 OL  
50-323 OL

ORDER

On June 28, 1984, we denied, with one exception, the joint intervenors' motion to reopen the record in the Diablo Canyon operating license proceeding on the issue of the adequacy of the applicant's construction quality assurance program. See ALAB-775, \_\_\_ NRC \_\_\_. We reserved ruling on the joint intervenors' allegations that the applicant improperly used A307 hardware bolts with the heads removed as studs for the containment liner and ordered the applicant to provide us with certain additional information on this matter. We have now received that information.

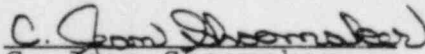
Having reviewed the joint intervenors' motion and supporting material, the applicant's and NRC staff's answers, and the applicant's most recent filing in response to our order, we deny the reopening motion with respect to this matter as well. The joint intervenors' allegation

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concerning the studs used for the containment liner (singularly or in combination with the other charges raised in the reopening motion) does not present new evidence of a significant safety issue that could have an effect on the outcome of the licensing proceeding. The motion is therefore denied.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE APPEAL BOARD

  
C. Jean Shoemaker  
Secretary to the  
Appeal Board