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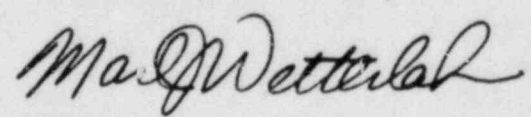
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TRANSMITTAL OF SEPTEMBER 4, 1984 AFFIDAVIT OF
VINCENT S. BOYER, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT,
NUCLEAR POWER, PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC COMPANY,
RELATING TO SCHEDULE FOR FUEL LOADING

On June 20, 1984, the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board ordered the Applicant to submit periodic affidavits regarding its estimated date for fuel loading of Limerick, Unit 1. Tr. 12285. The attached "Affidavit of Vincent S. Boyer, Senior Vice President, Nuclear Power, Philadelphia Electric Company," executed on September 4, 1984 is responsive to that request. The original affidavit will be transmitted to the Docketing and Service Section of the Public Proceedings Branch of the Office of the Secretary when received.

Respectfully submitted,
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AFFIDAVIT OF VINCENT S. BOYER
SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, NUCLEAR POWER
PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC COMPANY

Vincent S. Boyer being first duly sworn according to law deposes and states:

1. My name is Vincent S. Boyer. I am Senior Vice President, Nuclear Power, of Philadelphia Electric Company. In this position I have overall responsibility for the nuclear power activities of the Company including Limerick Generating Station.

2. I have reviewed my previous affidavits filed in response to the Board's requirements (Tr 12,285). Our current review leads me to believe that the estimated fuel load date for Limerick 1 will fall between September 15 and September 30, 1984.

3. Applicant's estimated fuel loading date is based upon the current completion status of plant construction, testing and startup activities as determined at monthly Project Review Meetings, weekly Integrated Schedule Review Meetings and weekly Project Startup Test Results Review Meetings (the most recent of which was held on August 30, 1984) and our understanding of the status of NRC Region I efforts directed toward a determination of operational readiness for fuel load.

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4. Construction of the plant is essentially complete. Testing of plant systems is proceeding on schedule and is expected to be completed during the first week of September, 1984. Internal reviews and documentation of the test program are proceeding on an accelerated schedule. Surveillance tests have been initiated by the operating shifts.

5. NRC Region I must yet make a determination as to the state of operational readiness of the facility for fuel load. The progress of plant construction and testing activities since the filing of my earlier affidavits and our understanding of the status of NRC Region I activities support a fuel load date of between September 15 and September 30, 1984.

Vincent A. Boye
Senior Vice President

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 4th day
of September, 1984.

Patricia D. Scholl
Notary Public

PATRICIA D. SCHOLL
Notary Public, Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co.
My Commission Expires February 18, 1985

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of "Transmittal of September 4, 1984 Affidavit of Vincent S. Boyer, Senior Vice President, Nuclear Power, Philadelphia Electric Company, Relating to Schedule for Fuel Loading," dated September 4, 1984 in the captioned matter, have been served upon the following by deposit in the United States mail this 4th day of September, 1984:

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