Docket No. 50-344

Mr. James E. Cross Vice President, Nuclear Portland General Electric Company 121 S.W. Salmon Street Portland, Oregon 97204

Dear Mr. Cross:

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The staff agrees that this change will enhance your program. Therefore, we approve of your use of the 1986 edition of the Code in the Modification, Repair and Replacement Program. However, this approval is granted provided that all related requirements of the respective edition or addenda are met.

Sincerely,

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