

November 14, 1984

Mr. J. G. Keppler, Regional Administrator Office of Inspection and Enforcement, Region III U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Dear Mr. Keppler:

DOCKET NOS. 50-266 AND 50-301
REPLY TO INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-266/84-15 AND 50-301/84-13
POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2

The subject inspection reports, transmitted with W. D. Shafer's letter of October 16, 1984, states that procedure ICP 10.2 was not followed in removing source range Channel 31 from service. Licensee Event Report No. 84-004-00 (Point Beach Unit 2) was submitted on October 24, 1984 and describes this occurrence. We accept your finding that this incident constitutes a Technical Specification violation. As mentioned in LER 84-004-00, we will discuss this incident with all operators and emphasize the importance of adhering to approved procedures.

Completion of this item is expected by November 30, 1984.

Very truly yours,

Vice President-Nuclear Power

C. W. Fay

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