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In the Matter of
PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
(Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and 2)
Docket Nos. 50-275 OL and 50-323 OL

Dear Members of the Appeal Board:

In accordance with the Appeal Board's Order of October 12, 1984, the Staff, by letter dated November 15, 1984, informed you that the Safety Evaluation Report Supplement addressing Unit 2 design verification would issue in January 1985. Based on a more recent assessment, however, the Staff currently estimates that the SER Supplement on Unit 2 design verification will issue in February 1985; a more precise date cannot be provided at this time. We will, of course, keep you advised of any change in the schedule.

Sincerely,

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