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Gentlemen:

DOCKETS 50-266 AND 50-301
ADDITIONAL RESPONSE TO UNRESOLVED ITEMS
INSPECTION REPORT 50-266/92008(DRS); 50-301/92008(DRS)
POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2

Your letter dated May 28, 1992, transmitted Inspection Report 50-266/92008(DRS); 50-301/92008(DRS), which consisted of a review of the Point Beach Nuclear Plant program for in-service testing (IST) of pumps and valves, and our compliance with NRC positions described in Generic Letter (GL) 89-04, "Guidance on Developing Acceptable In-Service Testing Programs." In our letter dated July 31, 1992, we responded to the unresolved items contained in your inspection report. Based on subsequent discussions between our engineering staff and Mr. J. Smith of your NRC Region III staff, we have determined it appropriate to revise our response to one of the unresolved items.

Unresolved Item 266/92008-01(d); 301/92008-01(d) involved position indication verification of the RHR heat exchanger bypass valve, RH-00626. In our letter dated July 31, 1992, we stated that position indication verification of RH-00626 was not necessary because the valve is not required to reposition for accident mitigation and consequently is considered passive. Based on our discussions with Mr. Smith, we have decided to incorporate position indication verification of RH-00626 into our IST Program. We will revise appropriate test procedures by September 25, 1992. Additionally, we will incorporate the requirement for RH-00626 position indication verification into the next revision of our IST Program Document and IST Program Background Document, which is scheduled to be completed by December 11, 1992.

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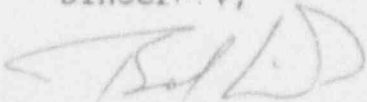
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We believe that these actions are sufficient to adequately resolve this issue.

If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this correspondence, please contact us.

Sincerely,



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