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MEMORANDUM FOR: Richard C. DeYoung, Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement

Harold R. Denton, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM: William J. Dircks
Executive Director for Operations

SUBJECT: DIABLO CANYON SMALL AND LARGE BORE PIPING ISSUES

The Commission has requested that the ACRS review the inspection findings and concerns expressed by Mr. Yin and provide to the Commission the Committee's recommendation on issuance of a Diablo Canyon low power license. To assist the Committee, please initiate a comprehensive review of the quality assurance and design issues related to large and small bore piping issues raised by Mr. Yin. This review should identify the regulatory basis for and importance of the issues and overall impact that these issues would have on the safety of low power operation. This review should also consider, where appropriate, the generic significance of these issues.

The ACRS should be presented the results of this review on April 6, 1984. Utilize whatever resources you deem appropriate, from the head-quarter offices and regions, to accomplish these objectives. I suggest that consideration of the QA aspects be led by Jim Taylor and consideration of the technical piping issues be led by Jim Knight and that overall responsibility for the effort be assigned to Dick Vollmer. The review effort should be organized and scheduled along the lines shown in the enclosure.

(Signed) William J. Dircks

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Enclosure: Review Team

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REVIEW TEAM

Team Leader	(NRR)
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QA Issues

IE (leader)

IE (2)

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Design Issues

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AGENDA

Reading and meetings	3/29
Meetings with Yin and staff	3/30-31
Travel to site	4/1
Team reviews at site and San Francisco meeting with PG&E	4/2-3
Travel; team meetings	4/4
Preparation of conclusions	4/5
ACRS meeting	4/6