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- Reference: (1) Fermi 2  
NRC Cocket No. 50-341
- (2) Letter from Duke Power Company to Detroit Edison, "Comments to DECo Response to Final Report", dated September 25, 1984.
- (3) Detroit Edison letter to NRC and Duke Power Company, "Response to Recommendations Arising from Duke Power Report on Final Assessment of Construction", EF2-72247, dated September 20, 1984.
- (4) Detroit Edison letter to NRC, "Transmittal of Duke Power Letter," EF2-72279, dated October 4, 1984.

Subject: Response to Pending Duke Power Concern

The comment on page 2 of Reference 2 (forwarded to NRC via Reference 4) correctly noted that no reference was made to the honeycomb concrete around one of the watertight doors. An NCR was issued on 7/16/84 identifying the honeycomb around door R-1-8 and was subsequently dispositioned on 7/18/84. The disposition required chipping out the defective concrete around the door and then performing a QA/Engineering inspection. After a successful inspection, the area will be grouted. In addition to correction of door R-1-8, the NCR disposition requires sounding the concrete around all remaining doors in the Auxiliary Building for voids. If more voids are found, the NCR requires further reevaluation and corrective action.

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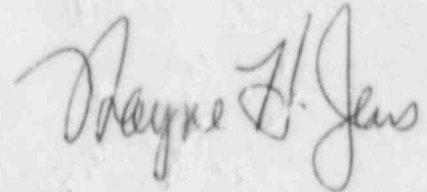
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As stated on page 2 of Reference 3, the Detroit Edison report included only the responses to the Duke Assessment team recommendations, although Edison has also taken action to respond to each of the other findings and concerns, as is the case for this item. This reply should respond to this concern.

If you should have any further questions, please contact Mr. O. Keener Earle at (313) 586-4211.

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