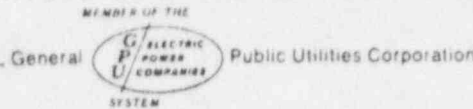


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August 1, 1975

Mr. George Lear, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #3
Division of Reactor Licensing
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

SUBJECT: Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station
Docket No. 50-219
Suppression Pool Dynamic Phenomena

Dear Mr. Lear:

The following is in response to your letter of April 17, 1975 which requested, pursuant to Section 50.54(f) of 10CFR Part 50, that information relative to the design of our containment be submitted to you. We have previously responded to your request with our May 6, 1975 letter which provided a preliminary schedule for addressing the LOCA load concerns. Our May 6, 1975 letter was supplemented by our July 3, 1975 letter which stated that the submittal of the information requested by your April 17 letter would be delayed for reasons discussed in a letter from Mr. I. F. Stuart of General Electric to Mr. R. L. Tedesco of the NRC, dated June 13, 1975. General Electric's letter of June 13 also suggested a meeting with your staff to discuss in detail the Short Term Program and the development of the details of the Long Term Program. That meeting was held on July 17, 1975.

As a result of that meeting, General Electric has prepared a Mark I Containment Status Report summarizing the Mark I Containment Short and Long Term Programs and providing the status of the work that was completed as of July 18, 1975. This report was submitted to the NRC by a letter from Mr. I. F. Stuart to Mr. A. Giambusso, dated July 31, 1975. This report updates a letter from Dr. G. L. Gyorey of General Electric to Mr. R. Maccary of the NRC, dated June 26, 1975, which provided information concerning the work that General Electric had performed on the reference plant up to that time.

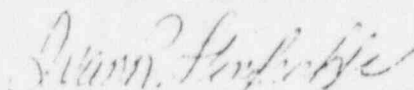
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We consider that the work completed by July 18, 1975 by General Electric continues to show that reasonable assurance exists that the public health and safety will not be endangered during the Oyster Creek plant's continued operation while evaluation work continues. As discussed with your staff on July 17, 1975, the Short Term Program is scheduled to be completed in September 1975. At that time we will also be submitting our planned Long Term Program.

Enclosed are three signed originals and thirty-seven copies of this letter.

Very truly yours,


Ivan R. Finfrock, Jr.
Vice President

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of August, 1975.

Notary Public

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