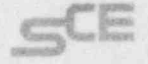


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Attention: Mr. J. B. Martin, Regional Administrator

Dear Sir:

Subject: Docket No. 50-361
Special Report
San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 2

Pursuant to Section 6.9.2 of Appendix A, Technical Specifications to Facility Operating License NPF-10 for San Onofre Unit 2, this submittal provides the required Special Report for inoperable radiation monitoring alarm instrumentation.

On October 12, 1984, at 0957, with Unit 2 in Mode 1 at 85% power, the Containment Purge Train 'B' Area Radiation Monitor 2RI-7857 was declared inoperable when it was found out of calibration due to instrument drift during its 31-day surveillance. Containment Purge Train 'A' Area Radiation Monitor 2RI-7856 had previously been declared inoperable on August 8, 1984, also due to instrument drift. 2RI-7856, located in Containment, had not yet been restored because, due to ALARA concerns, it was scheduled to be repaired during the upcoming outage.

Since neither 2RI-7856 or 2RI-7857 were restored to operable status within 72 hours, in accordance with Limiting Condition for Operation (LCO) 3.3.3.1, Table 3.3-6, Action Statement 19, the pre-planned alternate method of monitoring was initiated. 2RI-7856 was restored to operable status on October 26, 1984, during the outage which began October 20, 1984. Isotopic calibration of 2RI-7857 is currently in progress.

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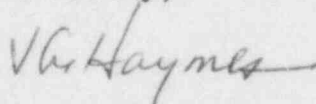
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Neither the health and safety of plant personnel nor the public were affected by this event. If you require any additional information, please so advise.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "V. Haymes".

cc: F. R. Huey (USNRC Senior Resident Inspector, Units 1, 2 and 3)
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