

December 17, 1984
(NMP2L 0300)

Mr. R. W. Starostecki, Director
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region I
Division of Project and Resident Programs
631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, PA 19406

Re: Nine Mile Point - Unit 2
Docket No. 50-410

Dear Mr. Starostecki:

Enclosed is an interim report in accordance with 10CFR50.55(e) for the problem concerning use of nonblunt-nosed stencils on ASME III materials. This problem was reported via tel-con to R. A. Gramm, NRC Resident Inspector, on November 16, 1984.

Very truly yours,

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NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION
NINE MILE POINT - UNIT 2
DOCKET NO. 50-410

Interim Report for a Problem
Concerning Use of Nonblunt-Nosed
Stencils on ASME III Materials
(55(e)-84-51)

Description of the Problem

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation has determined that the use of non-approved tools for the application of permanent marking to ASME material has occurred. Resultant action has been to require inspection of the exterior surface of all ASME Class 1 piping, to assure conformance with code requirements.

A final report of findings will be issued to the Commission by July 29, 1985.