

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Docket Nos.: STN 50-482 and STN 50-483

> Mr. R. A. Wiesemann, Manager Regulatory and Legislative Affairs Westinghouse Electric Corporation P. O. Box 355 Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15230

Dear Mr. Wiesemann:

Subject: Withholding from Public Disclosure - CAW-84-117 - Equipment

Justification for Interim Operation - Wolf Creek Generating

Station, Unit 1 and Callaway Station, Unit 1

By SNUPPS letter, dated December 21, 1984 and your letter, dated December 19, 1984 with affidavit AW-80-27, dated June 18, 1980 you submitted material concerning equipment qualification justification for interim operation on the Wolf Creek Generating Station, Unit 1 and the Callaway Station, Unit 1 and requested that it be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790. Proprietary and non-proprietary versions were submitted. This material was also supplemented by SNUPPS letter dated May 9, 1985, transmitting revised pages for both the proprietary and non-proprietary versions of J10.

You stated that the submitted information should be considered exempt from mandatory public disclosure for the following reason:

The information contains developed test inputs and procedures to verify the design of Westinghouse supplied equipment. It contains substantial commercial value which Westinghouse can sell based upon the experience gained and the test equipment and methods developed. Release of the information to the public would likely cause substantial harm to the competitive position of Westinghouse by making available to the public designs developed by Westinghouse at a considerable sum of money, time and labor. Competitors would then be able to duplicate these designs without the outlay of commensurate expenditure in money, time or labor.

We have determined that the information submitted on the Interim Justification Position for the Seismic and Environmental Qualification of the Incore Thermocouples, Connectors, Adaptors and Reference Junction Box, marked as proprietary and submitted by SNUPPS letter, dated December 21, 1984 and supplemented by revised pages, dated May 9, 1985, should be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(b)(5) and Section 103(D) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1985, as amended.

We, therefore, approve your request for withholding pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790 and are withholding the material described above from public inspection as proprietary. A non-proprietary version of this material submitted by SNUPPS on December 21, 1984 and supplemented by revised pages on May 9, 1985, is available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room in Washington, D. C. and the local public document rooms established for the Wolf Creek and Callaway plants.

Withholding from public inspection shall not affect the right, if any, of persons properly and directly concerned to inspect the documents. If the need arises, we may send copies of this information to our consultants working in this area. We will, of course, insure that the consultants have signed the appropriate agreements for handling proprietary information.

If the basis for withholding this information from public inspection should change in the future such that the information could then be made available for public inspection, you should promptly notify the NRC. You should also understand that the NRC may have cause to review this determination in the future, such as if the scope of a Freedom of Information Act request includes your information. In all review situations, if the NRC needs additional information from you or makes a determination adverse to the above, you will be notified in advance of any public disclosure.

Sincerely,

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