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Reference is made to a memorandum dated June 27, 1963, subject as above, from P. A. Morris to E. R. Price, which noted the seismic condition of the Eureka site, and the fact that a seismic trip is not included in the Humboldt Bay reactor design.

As you may be aware, the seismicity of the Eureka site as well as the fact that the Humboldt design does not include a seismic trip was considered in our evaluation of this facility prior to issuance of the operating license. After completion of our review of the proposed design of newly proposed reactor facilities in the California area where questions of a similar nature are being considered, we plan to reconsider whether inclusion of a seismic trip in the Humboldt Bay reactor would be warranted.

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