



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

March 8, 1988

Docket No. 50-293

Mr. Ralph G. Bird  
Senior Vice President Nuclear Energy  
Boston Edison Company  
800 Boylston Street  
Boston, Massachusetts 02199

Dear Mr. Bird:

SUBJECT: INSERVICE INSPECTION (ISI) AND AUGMENTED INSPECTION PLAN FOR GENERIC LETTER (GL) 84-11 REVIEW STATUS

REFERENCE: TAC Numbers 55608, 63001, 61370 and 64377

By letters dated September 22, 1986 and May 6, 1987 you provided details regarding the augmented intergranular stress corrosion cracking (IGSCC) inspection program for the Pilgrim Station 1987 refueling outage. The NRC staff reviewed your submittals and concluded that your augmented IGSCC inspection program meets the guidelines provided in GL 84-11 and is acceptable. We documented the results of our review in an undated letter (due to an administrative error) received by BECo on December 4, 1987. This action closed TAC numbers 55608 and 63001.

By letter dated December 3, 1982 you submitted your Second Ten Year ISI program. The staff reviewed the program and certain relief requests and documented the results in our letter dated August 13, 1985. Subsequent to this review additional information was provided by letter dated April 15, 1986, concerning relief requests PRR-8 and PRR-9. The NRC staff reviewed the information and granted the relief requests by letter dated March 26, 1987. This action closed TAC number 61370.

By letter dated December 12, 1986, you provided revision 3 to the approved Second Ten Year Program. The submittal included 6 revised and 7 additional relief requests. The submittal was supplemented by letters dated October 2, 30 and December 28, 1987. In addition, you are providing a listing of your augmented program inspections and indicate their conformance to the regulatory guidance as discussed during our February 10, 1988, conference call. This action is currently being reviewed by the staff and our contractor under TAC number 64377. This is currently the only active action relating to ISI for the Pilgrim Station.

Your letters dated September 25, 1986 and November 5, 1987 provide a listing of ISI examinations in accordance with ASME filing requirements (Section XI, Article IWA-1400(c)) and do not require any action on our part. As you noted in your November letter, the ISI examinations identified in the September letter will complete the first inspection period of the Second Ten Year ISI

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Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Daniel McDonald, Senior Project Manager  
Project Directorate I-3  
Division of Reactor Projects, I/II

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