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Mr. R. W. Starostecki, Director U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region I Division of Reactor Projects 631 Park Avenue King of Prussia, PA 19406

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

Dear Mr. Starostecki:

Enclosed is a final report in accordance with 10CFR50.55(e) for the problem concerning clearance violations with platform framing steel and primary containment. This problem was reported via tel-con to J. Linville of your staff on December 13, 1985, and an interim report was transmitted on January 13, 1986.

Very truly yours,

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Final Report for a Problem
Concerning Clearance Violations With
Platform Framing Steel and Primary Containment
(55(e)-85-30)

Description of the Problem

Three clearance violations between structural steel framing of secondary containment and primary containment wall were identified by Nonconformance and Disposition Report No. 14015. The design specifies a 3-in. clearance between the wall and steel members to allow displacement due to seismic and/or thermal loadings.

Analysis of Safety Implications

Detailed analysis of the consequences of the as built clearances less than the specified 3" was not performed. Therefore, the possibility exists that the defects, had they gone uncorrected, could have adversely affected the safety of operation of the plant.

Corrective Action

Nonconformance and Disposition Report 14015 has been dispositioned specifying repairs to maintain the required clearances on identified cases.