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Gentlemen:

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY
NORTH ANNA POWER STATION UNITS 1 AND 2
PUMP AND VALVE INSERVICE TESTING PROGRAM
REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Your letter of June 9, 1988 (TAC NO. 52414) provided an interim evaluation of the Pump and Valve Inservice Testing Program for North Anna Units 1 and 2 and requested that additional information on certain aspects of the program be provided within 120 days. We are not able to provide our response on the schedule requested for the reasons stated below, and therefore, we are requesting an extension to January 16, 1989. This request was discussed with the NRC Project Manager on August 22, 1988, and it is our understanding that this schedule is acceptable.

We are presently preparing a response to a similar request for additional information on our programs for Inservice Testing of Pumps and Valves and Inservice Inspection for Surry Units 1 and 2. The response to the Surry request is due on September 30, 1988, one week prior to the due date for the North Anna response. However, due to manpower limitations, we are not able to respond to both requests simultaneously. In addition, information used in the Surry response will be factored into the response for North Anna on issues that are generic to pump and valve testing. Therefore, it is desirable to complete the Surry response before preparing the North Anna response.

We have reviewed the NRC's questions and comments on the North Anna program and, at this time, find no impact on the upcoming North Anna Unit 1 and 2 outages.

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If you have any questions or require further information, please advise.

Very truly yours,

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