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Docket No. 50-382

Mr. J. G. Dewease
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Dear Mr. Dewease:

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For the Containment Spray, High Pressure Safety Injection, and Low Pressure Safety Injection systems, the recirculation lines have installed flow instrumentation; therefore, relief to measure only pump differential pressure cannot be granted because it is not impractical to measure flow. LP&L must measure and record all the parameters in Table IWP-3100-2 in order to determine pump operability. In the case of the Boric Acid and Emergency Feedwater systems, the recirculation lines are not instrumented for flow and installations of instruments, while not impractical, would result in hardship. For these pumps, relief from measuring the flow during the quarterly test using the recirculation line may be granted if LP&L commits to testing each pump in these systems on the shortest possible time intervals when plant conditions allow measuring all of the parameters in Table IWP-3100-2, i.e., each cold shutdown or refueling.

LP&L should follow the Revision 3, 4 and 5 with the exception of those reliefs not granted as discussed above. If there is any questions in regard to this matter, please let us know.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JOSE A. CALVO

Jose A. Calvo, Director
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