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PGandE Letter No.: DCL-86-132

Mr. John B. Martin, Regional Administrator  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region V  
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Re: Docket No. 50-275, OL-DPR-80  
Docket No. 50-323, OL-DPR-82  
Diablo Canyon Units 1 and 2  
IE Bulletin No. 85-03, Motor-Operated Valve Common Mode Failures  
During Plant Transients Due to Improper Switch Settings

Dear Mr. Martin:

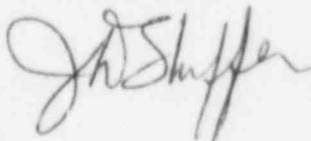
IE Bulletin No. 85-03 (Bulletin) directs licensees to submit a written response, within 180 days, on the review and documentation of the design basis operation for certain motor operated valves (MOV) noted in item a. of the Bulletin, and to provide a program, with schedule, for completion of the remaining Bulletin directives (items b. through d.).

The Westinghouse Owners Group (WOG) has developed a generic methodology for determining the maximum differential pressure across the MOVs specified in item a. of the Bulletin. PGandE has determined that additional time is necessary to compare the plant-specific design basis methodology with that developed by the WOG. Additional time is also necessary for development of the switch setting and MOV stroke-testing program.

Therefore, PGandE plans to reply to item a. of the Bulletin and provide a program and schedule for items b. through d. in late August 1986.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this material on the enclosed copy of this letter and return it in the enclosed addressed envelope.

Sincerely,



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