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SUBJECT:

SAFETY EVALUATION OF SPENT FUEL STORAGE RACKS, WPPS NUCLEAR

PROJECT NO. 2

The Reactor Physics Section of the Core Performance Branch has, at the request of the Auxiliary Systems Branch, prepared the enclosed evaluation of the criticality of the spent fuel racks at WNP-2. We find the criticality aspects of the racks to be acceptable and to meet the requirements of General Design Criterion 62. It should be noted that we have assumed the presence of the $\mathrm{B}_4\mathrm{C}$ absorber in our review. The quality assurance program which assures that presence is outside the scope of our review.

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