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Subject: Waterford 3 SES  
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NRC Generic Letter 87-06

REFERENCE: NRC Generic Letter 86-07, Periodic Verification of Leak Tight Integrity of Pressure Isolation Valves, dated March 13, 1987.

This reply to the referenced generic letter provides the information requested regarding measures to assure the integrity of pressure isolation valves (PIVs) as independent barriers for the reactor coolant pressure boundary.

Waterford 3 was licensed after 1979. Pressure isolation valves (PIVs) separating the reactor coolant system from attached low pressure systems are listed in Technical Specification Table 3.4-1 with the maximum permissible leakage rates. The test frequency for PIV's is specified in Technical Specification 4.4.5.2.3.

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