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Sheldon J. Wolfe, Chairman Administrative Judge Atomic Safety and Licensing Board U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

In the Matter of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, ET AL., (San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3) Docket Nos. 50-361 OL & 50-362 OL

Dear Judge Wolfe:

This refers to your letter of September 11, 1987, requesting a status report on the Medical Services issues (10 C.F.R. § 50.47(b)(12)) that are pending in the captioned matter.

In a one-page memorandum dated August 20, 1987, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) advised that the offsite medical services capabilities of the State of California and the local jurisdictions have been reviewed and with the exception of one item, all of the requirements have been satisfied. In a memorandum dated September 2, 1987, the NRC staff advised FEMA that in order to properly resolve the Medical Services issues before an Atomic Safety and Licensing Board, it would be necessary to for FEMA to supplement its conclusions with a more specific evaluation of the Licensee's submittal against each of the review and acceptance criteria set forth in Guidance Memoranda MS-1.

FEMA has agreed to provide the requested evaluation and is presently scheduled to complete its evaluation on or about October 1, 1987. Upon receipt of the FEMA evaluation, the Staff will advise the Licensing Board when its analysis will be filed.

Sincerely,

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