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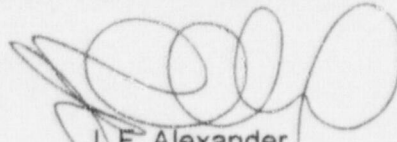
WITHDRAWAL OF BOSTON EDISON COMPANY REQUEST FOR
REDUCTION IN GL 88-01 IGSCC INSPECTION FREQUENCIES FOR CATEGORY D
WELDS

References:

1. BECo letter No. 94-111, dated October 13, 1994.
2. BWROG Topical Report NEDC-31951P, dated April 1991.
3. NRC Safety Evaluation Report on NEDC-31951P, dated January 18, 1995.
4. Supplement 1 to BWROG Topical Report NEDC-31951P, dated April 8, 1998.

This letter withdraws Boston Edison Company (BEC Co) request for reduction in interannual stress corrosion cracking (IGSCC) inspection frequency for GL 88-01 Category D welds, submitted by BECo letter N. 94-111, dated October 13, 1994. The information included in that request is superseded by the NRC Safety Evaluation Report on NEDC-31951P and Supplement 1 to BWROG Topical Report NEDC-31951P. Accordingly, we plan to file a separate request using the current information.

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