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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
ATTN: Document Control Desk
Washington, D. C. 20555

SUBJECT: Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Units 2 and 3
NRC Request for Additional Information (RAI) on
Generic Letter 88-01

REFERENCES: (1) Letter from S. J. Kowalski (PECo) to
F. J. Miraglia, Jr. (NRC) dated August 2, 1988

(2) Letter from R. E. Martin (NRC) to
G. A. Hunger, Jr. (PECo) dated June 16, 1989

Dear Sir:

In Reference 1, Philadelphia Electric Company (PECo) provided a response to Generic Letter 88-01, "NRC Position on IGSCC in BWR Austenitic Stainless Steel Piping". In Reference 2, you requested that PECo provide additional information in order for the NRC staff to complete its review. The extensive efforts needed to gather this additional information and to provide it in the tabular format specified were discussed with Messrs. R. E. Martin and T. K. McClellan of the staff. Indications are that the original submittal may be of sufficient quality to allow PECo to not respond to the RAI, but to wait for the staff to review the original submittal and identify any open items. PECo would then provide a response to the open items.

We will take no further action with respect to the RAI until a decision has been made by the staff. If you have any questions concerning this issue, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

G. A. Hunger, Jr.

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