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Virginia Electric and Power Company
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Confirmation of Action

This refers to R. C. Lewis' telephone conversation on July 21, 1980, with you, concerning the completion of IE Bulletin (IEB) 79-14 actions and the startup of Surry 2. This also refers to your letters dated February 22, 1980, serial 138; February 26, 1980, serial 144; July 8, 1980, serial 591; and July 11, 1980, serial 611.

With regard to matters discussed, it is our understanding that the following actions will be taken concerning the completion of IEB 79-14 for Surry 2:

1. Modification packages for Technical Specification System Supports will be issued by VEPCO's Architect-Engineers by October 1, 1980.
2. Technical Specification system support modifications will be installed or the existing supports will be evaluated as not significantly overstressed, by November 1, 1980, as defined in your letter dated July 8, 1980. If a significantly overstressed condition is identified on a Technical Specification System, system operability must be evaluated. If the overstressed portion of the system cannot be isolated by appropriately qualified valves, the system must be declared inoperable and the appropriate Technical Specification actions taken.
3. The remaining support modifications, including those resulting from the valve weight verification program, will be installed by December 1, 1980. An exception to this, concerning portions of the service water system piping, was previously addressed in our letter of May 29, 1980.
4. IEB 79-14 activities and reporting of results will be completed by December 31, 1980.
5. Administrative controls will be provided to assure that a responsible VEPCO individual is promptly notified by the architect/engineer of significant overstress conditions and that the most apparent safety significant overstress questions are evaluated/analyzed on a priority basis.

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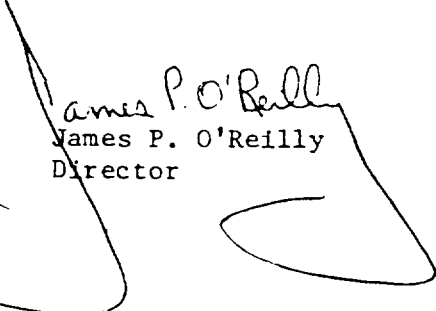
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6. The completion of the valve weight verification program will be expedited and any piping/support reanalysis and modification that may be required as a result of this program will be completed promptly.
7. Progress of the IEB 79-14 work effort will be reported weekly by telephone to this office. This report does not alleviate the reporting requirements contained in IEB 79-14.

The above actions combined with the statement in your letter dated July 8, 1980, serial 591, that all modifications resulting from pipe stress analysis of Technical Specification systems will be completed before startup, constitutes an acceptable program for the startup of Surry 2.

Please inform this office immediately if your understanding of this matter is different from that stated above.

Sincerely,


James P. O'Reilly
Director

cc: J. L. Wilson, Manager