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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Sir:

Subject: Salem Generating Station Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. 50-272 and 50-311
License Change Request S04-09
Request for Change to Technical Specifications
Elimination of the Power Range, Neutron Flux, High Negative Rate Trip

PSEG Nuclear LLC submitted the proposed change to the Salem Technical Specifications by letter to the NRC dated May 1, 2006. The proposed amendment would eliminate the requirement for a Power Range, Neutron Flux, High Negative Rate trip, based on the NRC approved methodology presented in Westinghouse Topical Report, WCAP-11394-P, "Methodology for the Analysis of the Dropped Rod Event".

The BNE has no comments on the proposed change. If you need to discuss this subject further, please contact Elliot Rosenfeld at (609) 984-7548.

Sincerely,

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