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 insp of GEC low pressure turbine discs. Turbine mfg  
 recommended addl insps at 10-yr interval during life of  
 machines. Insp will be implemented during refueling outages.

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Subject: Docket Nos. 50-361 and 50-362  
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Units 2 and 3

License Condition 2.C(15) and License Condition 2.C(13) for San Onofre Units 2 and 3, respectively, required that the bores of the low pressure turbine disc be inspected prior to startup following the second refueling outage of the respective unit. Southern California Edison (SCE) Company transmitted the final turbine disc inspection reports to the NRC by letters dated June 20, 1986 and March 23, 1987. The results of the inspections showed no evidence of stress corrosion cracking.

Recently, SCE was verbally requested by the NRC to identify whether there is any future plan to inspect the GEC low pressure turbine discs during the balance of plant life. The purpose of this letter is to provide a response to that request.

At the present time there are no additional inspections scheduled to be performed on the San Onofre Units 2 and 3 low pressure turbine discs. However, the turbine manufacturer recently recommended that as a prudent action additional inspections be conducted at a ten year interval during the life of the machines. This recommendation will be implemented at suitable refueling outages in the future.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

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