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Your submittal dated June 10, 1975 described planned modifications to the Nine Mile Point Unit 1 spent fuel storage pool. You included a safety evaluation for our information and you state that the proposed modification had been reviewed and approved by the Site Operations Review Committee and the Safety Review and Audit Board. However, you do not state whether this planned modification has been determined to be an unreviewed safety question pursuant to 10 CFR Part 50 § 50.59.

We request that you provide us in writing the following information: (1) your conclusion on whether or not the planned modification to the spent fuel storage pool is an unreviewed safety question pursuant to 10 CFR Part 50 § 50.59 and (2) what licensing action you want us to take on your submittal of June 10, 1975. If you determine that the planned modifications to the pool are not an unreviewed safety question, you should provide the basis for that conclusion.

Sincerely,

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Division of Reactor Licensing

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