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Mr. Boyce H. Grier, Director
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Office of Inspection and Enforcement
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631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Subject: IE Bulletin No. 79-28, Possible Malfunction of NAMCO Model
EA 180 Limit Switches at Elevated Temperatures
R. E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant, Unit #1
Docket No. 50-244

Dear Mr. Grier:

In response to Inspection and Enforcement Bulletin 79-28 concerning NAMCO EA180 date code 02-79 to 08-79 limit switches, there are no limit switches of this type installed at Ginna Station in safety-related circuits inside or outside the containment; however, two valves being shipped for the modification planned for steam piping to the Turbine Driven Auxiliary Feedwater Pump are equipped with the limit switch model of concern. As the date code of these two switches is presently not known, it is planned to determine the date code upon receipt inspection. Furthermore, the proper replacement top gaskets have been ordered in the event that the limit switches are found to be of the concerned date code, with plans for replacement if necessary.

Very truly yours,

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