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SUBJECT: Discusses 791220 proposed method of moisture testing low-hydrogen electrodes. Method will be implemented on all nuclear power projects.

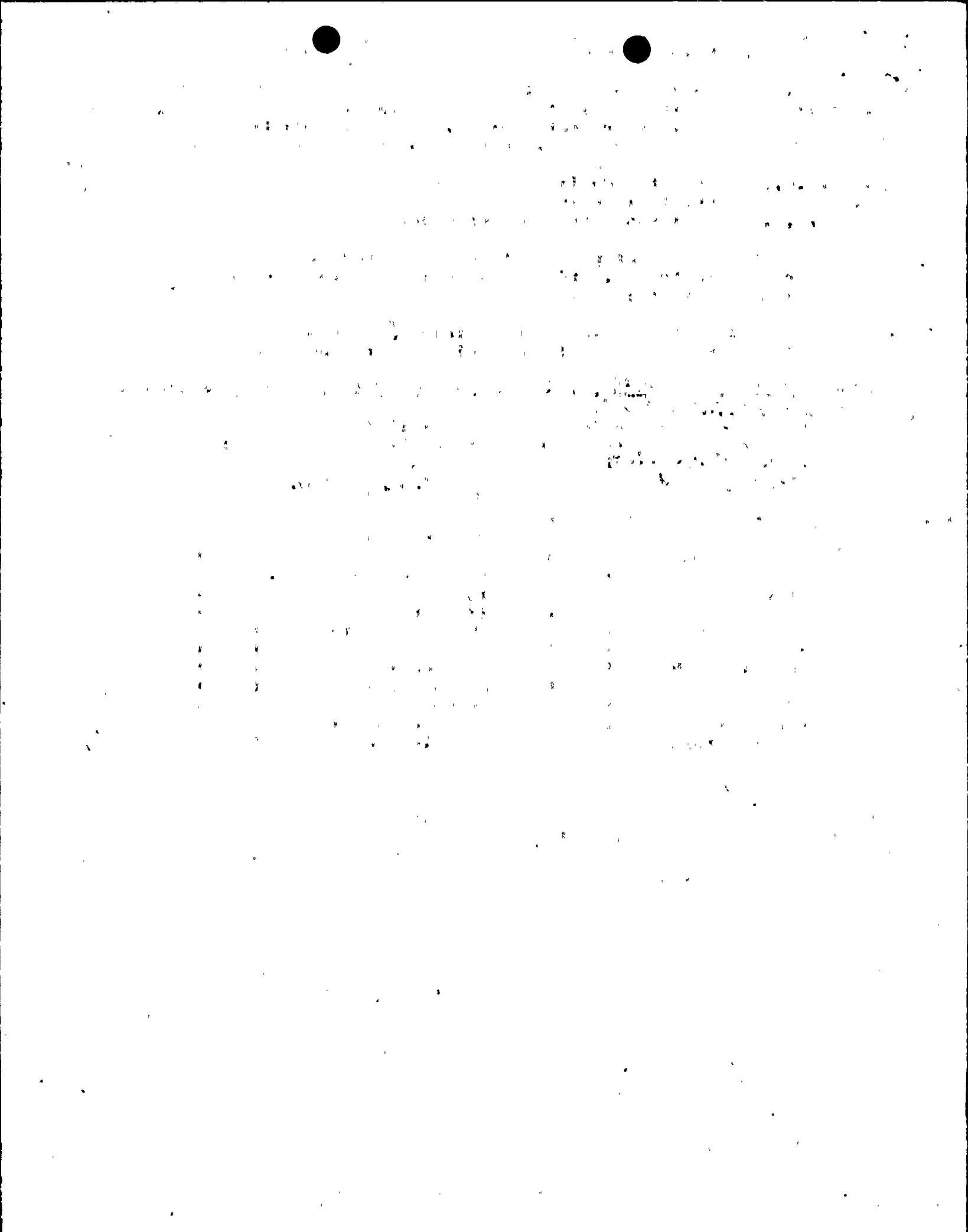
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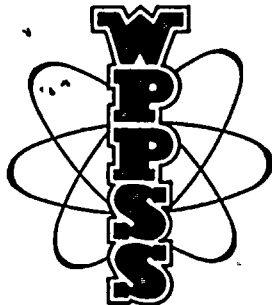
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Attention: Mr. L. S. Rubenstein, Acting Chief
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Division of Project Management

Subject: MOISTURE TESTING OF LOW-HYDROGEN ELECTRODES

- Reference: 1) Letter, L. S. Rubenstein to N. O. Strand, same
subject, dated April 4, 1980
- 2) Letter, D. L. Renberger to S. S. Pawlicki, same
subject, dated December 20, 1979
- 3) Letter, H. R. Denton to N. O. Strand, Information
Submittals to NRC, dated December 6, 1978

Dear Mr. Rubenstein:

Your letter of April 4, 1980, (Reference 1) concluded that the test proposed in our December 20, 1979, letter (Reference 2) was acceptable, subject to the conditions noted in Reference 1. We appreciate the review and approval of our request.

In Reference 1, you noted that our December 20 letter is not notarized in accordance with NRC regulations and request that a notarized version be submitted in conformance with regulations. Our December 20 letter was submitted for technical review of the proposed test method and did not represent an amendment to our license application. In accordance with instructions provided in Mr. Denton's letter of December 6, 1978 (Reference 3), notarization of our December 20 letter was not, in our judgement, required by NRC regulations. This matter was discussed with you on April 18, 1980, by Mr. Sorensen of our staff.

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The proposed testing method will be implemented on all of our nuclear power projects, (i.e., WNP-1, -2, -3, -4, and -5).

We trust that this letter satisfies your request and that we may now consider our proposal to be accepted.

Very truly yours,

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