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SUBJECT: Requests removal of notes added to Pages 3/4 3-71 & 3/4 3-71  
 in Amend 47 to License NPF-21. During outage, begun on 871206,  
 util repaired acoustical monitor. Changes granted on  
 emergency basis by amend no longer necessary.

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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
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Gentlemen:

Subject: NUCLEAR PLANT NO. 2  
OPERATING LICENSE NPF-21  
OPERABILITY OF ACOUSTIC MONITOR FOR MS-RV-2D

Reference: Letter, G02-87-265, GC Sorensen (SS) to  
NRC, "Request for Amendment to Technical  
Specification Table 3.3.7.5-1 (Accident  
Monitoring Instrumentation) Under Emergency  
Circumstances", dated October 13, 1987

In the reference letter the Supply System requested that the acoustic monitor for MS-RV-2D be allowed to be inoperable until the plant shut down for R-3 (May 15, 1988) or until the first forced outage of sufficient duration to effect repair, whichever occurred first. The NRC granted this request by issuance of Amendment No. 47 to the WNP-2 Technical Specifications on an emergency basis.

On December 6, 1987 the Supply System began a planned decrease in power primarily for the purpose of performing repairs to the condensate filter demineralizers. The plant completed this work, and has since returned to normal power operation.

During this brief outage, the Supply System was able to effect the necessary repairs to the Acoustic Monitor for MS-RV-2D, and has determined that it is again operable. With its return to operability, the Supply System will perform the channel check on the temperature recorder on a monthly basis as required by LCO 3/4.3.7.5. The control room annunciator that was added to alarm on high tail pipe temperature will remain in service. In addition, the annunciator response procedures will be revised.

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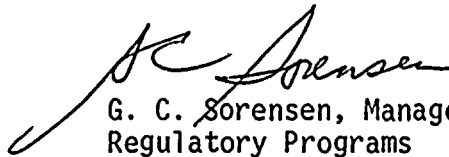
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The Supply System requests that the Staff administratively remove the notes that were added to pages 3/4 3-71 and 3/4 3-74 in Amendment 47 at their earliest convenience.

Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. P. L. Powell, Manager, WNP-2 Licensing.

Very truly yours,



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