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SUBJECT: Advises that util does not intend to include requirements of
 SER (NUREG-0857) in Tech Specs. SER should be modified
 accordingly.

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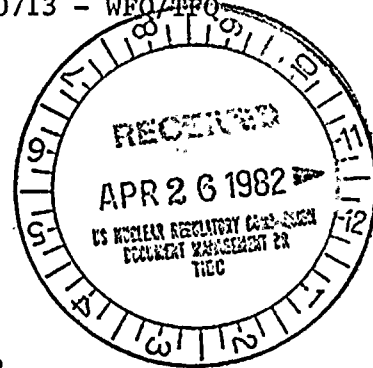
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Subject: Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station
(PVNGS) Units 1, 2 and 3
Docket Nos. STN-50-528/529/530
File: 82-056-026; G.1.10

Reference: NUREG-0857, "Safety Evaluation Report" related to the
Operation of Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station
Units 1, 2 and 3, dated November, 1981

Dear Mr. Tedesco:

The referenced SER stated the following Technical Specification
requirements:

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Technical Specification Requirements

4.2.2

The CEA symmetry test will be performed at the beginning of each cycle during startup physics testing.

4.2.3

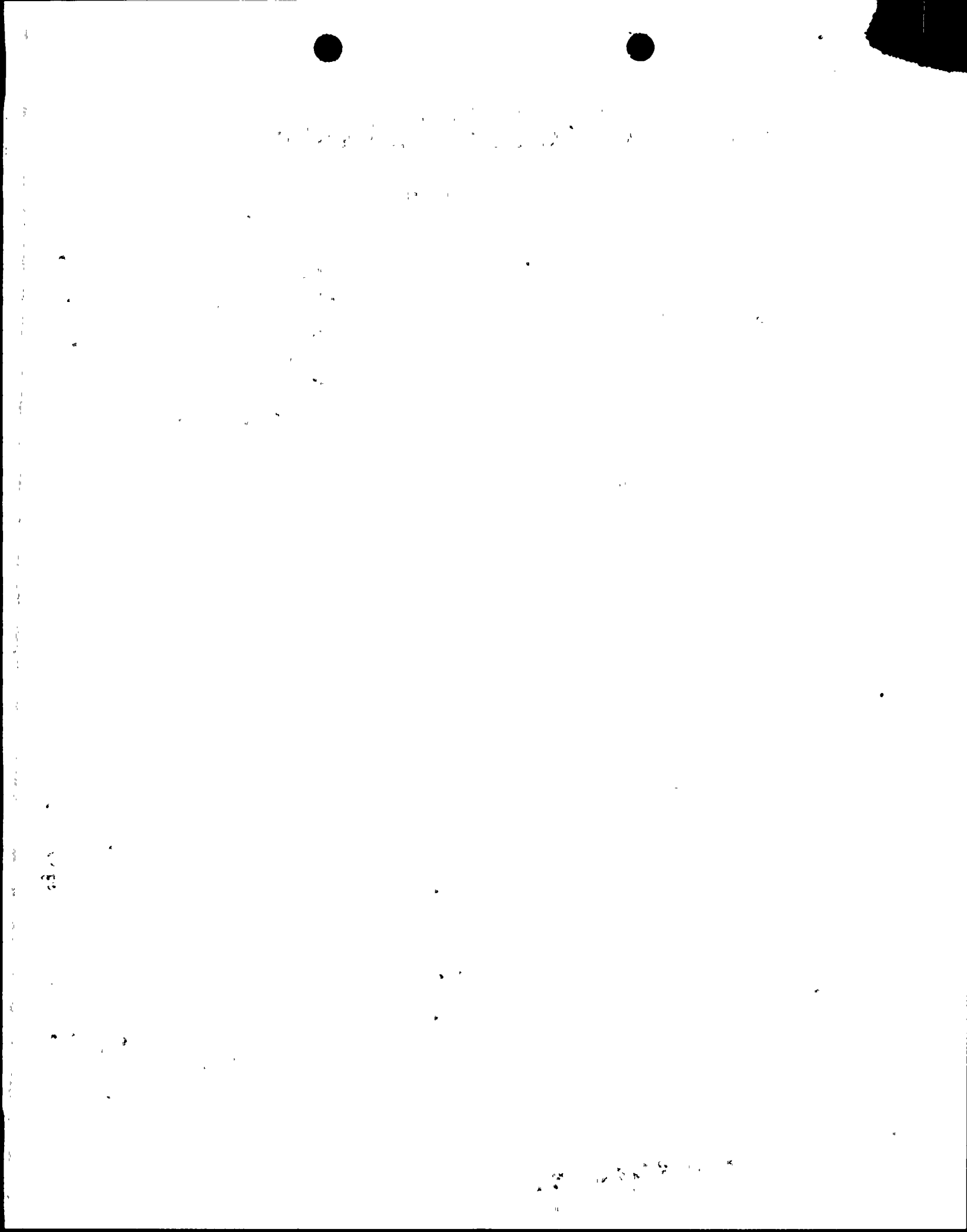
Fuel assembly sipping will be conducted at the first refueling following the determination that a significant number of fuel failures has occurred.

4.2.4

Visual examination of all four sides of randomly selected fuel assemblies (ten to fifteen) will be performed during or following each unit's refueling for the purpose of identifying gross problems. The NRC will be notified in the event that major abnormalities are determined.

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The requirements discussed above represent actions which we have committed to perform, but we did not commit to incorporate these requirements in the PVNGS Technical Specifications.

None of these actions appear to meet the criteria of section 4 of ANSI/ANS 58.4-1979 "Criteria for Technical Specifications for Nuclear Power Stations", in that these actions are not relied upon in the safety analysis and are not specifically required in Federal regulations. Therefore, we do not intend to include these actions in the PVNGS Technical Specifications, and believe the SER should be modified accordingly.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



E. E. Van Brunt, Jr.
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ANPP Project Director

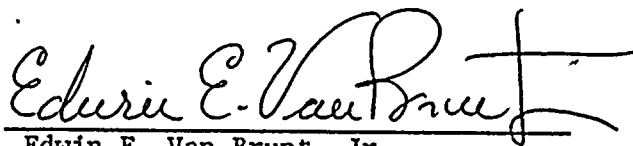
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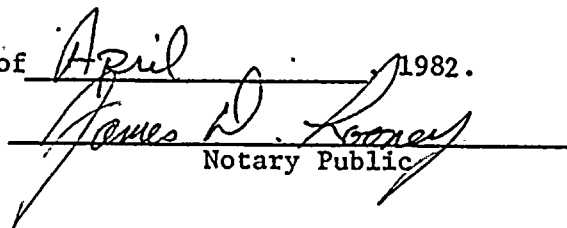


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I, Edwin E. Van Brunt, Jr., represent that I am Vice President Nuclear Projects of Arizona Public Service Company, that the foregoing document has been signed by me on behalf of Arizona Public Service Company with full authority so to do, that I have read such document and know its contents, and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made therein are true.


Edwin E. Van Brunt, Jr.

Sworn to before me this 20th day of April, 1982.


Notary Public

My Commission expires:

May 21, 1983

