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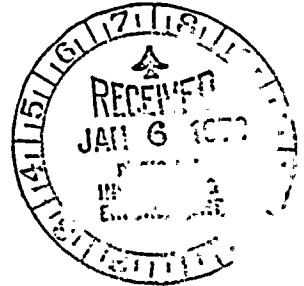


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Mr. R. H. Engelken, Director
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region V
202 Walnut Creek Plaza
1990 North California Boulevard
Walnut Creek, California 94596

Subject: NRC IE Bulletin 77-05, dated November 8, 1977
File: D.4.06.1 - 77-005-026

Dear Mr. Engelken:

In reference to your IE Bulletin 77-05 which discussed failures of certain electrical connector assemblies tested by Sandia Laboratories, we have completed a review to determine if the concern identified will be present at PVNGS.

Bechtel Corporation, our architect engineer responsible for the balance-of-plant systems, has verified that all IE safety related equipment within their scope of supply located inside containment is furnished without the connector arrangement described within the Bulletin.

Combustion Engineering, our Nuclear Steam Supply System vendor, has verified that there are no connectors of this type used in safety related systems required to be used during a LOCA inside of the containment.

We feel due to our verification that there are no connectors of this type inside containment used in safety related systems required for use during a LOCA, we will not be subject to the problems with these electrical connector assemblies at PVNGS.

Very truly yours,

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