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MIDLAND NUCLEAR PLANT
UNIT NO 1, DOCKET NO 50-329
UNIT NO 2, DOCKET NO 50-330
NI/RPS GROUNDING CONCERN

- Reference:
- 1) Letter, S H Howell to J G Keppler: Midland Nuclear Plant;
Unit No 1, Docket No 50-329; Unit No 2, Docket No 50-330;
NI/RPS Grounding Concern; Howe-48-78; dated April 6, 1978
 - 2) Letter, S H Howell to J G Keppler; Midland Nuclear Plant;
Unit No 1, Docket No 50-329; Unit No 2, Docket No 50-330;
NI/RPS Grounding Concern; Howe-85-78; dated May 30, 1978
 - 3) Letter, S H Howell to J G Keppler; Midland Nuclear Plant;
Unit No 1, Docket No 50-329; Unit No 2, Docket No 50-330;
NI/RPS Grounding Concern; Howe-152-78; dated August 30, 1978

The referenced letters were interim reports as is this letter. E&W Test Specification (No 62-1005067-00) was revised to require a continuity check for the NI/RPS cabinets to assure that no loss of grounding has occurred and to obtain baseline data. The detailed CPCo implementing procedure(s) to accomplish the baseline and subsequent testing will be released for use by January 4, 1980.

Another report, either interim or final, will be sent on or before January 11, 1980.

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