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Mr. Boyce H. Grier, Director
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Region I
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Mr. Grier:

SUBJECT: Forked River Nuclear Station
License No. CPPR-96
Docket No. 50-363
I&E Bulletin 79-15

This letter is in response to I&E Bulletin 79-15 entitled "Deep Draft Pump Deficiencies" dated July 11, 1979.

The Forked River Nuclear Generating Station design currently employs vertical turbine pumps in only one safety related system; the Nuclear Service Water System.

Three (3) Nuclear Service pumps are to be manufactured by Weir Pumps, Ltd. of Glasgow, Scotland. The pump model number is CW 1K9076A and it has a rating of approximately 22,000 gpm.

Final design of the pumps has not been completed, but overall length from the centerline of the pump discharge to the bottom of the suction bell is approximately forty-three (43) feet.

As-built vendor data related to these pumps has not yet been provided.

If you have any questions concerning the above, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

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