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Subject: McGuire Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2, Docket Nos. 50-369 and 370  
Supplement to Proposed Amendment to the Refueling Operations Boron  
Concentration Technical Specification

Gentlemen:

By letter dated October 6, 1989, we proposed changes to Technical Specification (TS) 3/4.9.1 to allow greater flexibility in isolating reactor makeup water supply to the reactor coolant system during refueling operations to allow makeup to the refueling water storage tank concurrent with refueling operations.

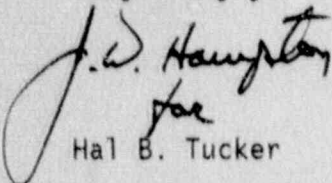
Subsequently, during a telephone conversation with members of your staff, we agreed to provide additional information to supplement our original submittal. Attached, find that information in the form of a revised copy of the TS pages, along with a simplified flow diagram. The revised TS pages add a shorter surveillance time period for the alternate valve alignment as we discussed.

Additionally, in our original submittal we stated our plans to use White Tags to administratively control the proposed alternate valve alignment. After further consideration, we now plan to use Red Tags.

We had originally requested approval of this request in time for our Unit 1 refueling outage. As a result of Unit 1 turbine related problems, we have begun our scheduled outage earlier than expected. Therefore, we request the staff review and approve our proposal so the revised TSs can be used during the current refueling outage. Provisions have been made so the revision can be implemented upon approval.

Should you have any questions, please contact S.E. LeRoy at (704) 373-6233.

Very truly yours,

  
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