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Letter No. 81-148

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Re: Indian Point Unit No. 2
Docket No. 50-247

Mr. Ronald C. Haynes, Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
Region I
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, Pa. 19406



Dear Mr. Haynes:

This letter is being sent to you in accordance with the requirements set forth in Paragraph 3.13.A.2 of the Indian Point Unit No. 2 Technical Specifications.

On July 31, 1981, transformer no. 11EC4 was taken out of service for repair. The loss of this transformer deactivated Bus Section No. 4 which feeds motor-driven fire pump no. 12. On August 1, 1981 temporary service was restored to the fire pump. With the temporary service, the pump did not have the capability of automatic start. Transformer No. 11EC4 was put back into service on August 19, 1981 and motor-driven fire pump no. 12 restored to its normal operating condition.

Even though the fire pump would not start automatically with the temporary power feed, it was not considered necessary to provide any additional fire protection. This evaluation was based on the following considerations:

- a) The second motor-driven fire pump was fully operational.
- b) The diesel-driven fire pump, which is a backup for both motor-driven pumps, was fully operational.

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- c) If pump no. 12 had to be started manually, the motor control center was within a short distance of the control room.
- d) Operators were notified that pump no. 12 was to be started manually.

Should you require any additional information, please let us know.

Very truly yours,

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