

THE CINCINNATI GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY



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QA-1812

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SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region III  
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Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Attention: Mr. J. G. Keppler  
Regional Administrator

RE: WM. H. ZIMMER NUCLEAR POWER STATION UNIT 1  
10CFR50.55(e) - ITEM M-47 - INVESTIGATION  
OF HENRY J. KAISER COMPANY SUPPLIER QUALITY  
ASSURANCE - DOCKET NO. 50-358, CONSTRUCTION  
PERMIT NO. CPPR-88 - W.O. #57300 JOB E-5590  
FILE NO. NRC-8, S-2

Gentlemen:

This letter constitutes an interim report concerning the subject condition initially reported to the Commission on May 14, 1982, under the requirements of 10CFR50.55(e).

During July, 1981, Henry J. Kaiser Co. (HJK), principal constructor of the Zimmer plant, performed an internal investigation of programmatic deficiencies related to HJK procurement. A report documenting this investigation was recently generated and reviewed by CG&E for reportability. In this review, it was determined that the majority of deficiencies cited in the report are already being addressed in the Zimmer Quality Confirmation Program, (QCP), which was reported to the Commission as Item Q-1 under 10CFR50.55(e). Other specific allegations made in the investigation which are not included in the QCP are being evaluated to determine if actual substantiatable deficiencies with safety implications exist.

For those allegations of a generic nature with no specific occurrences identified, both CG&E and HJK have, as part of their respective Quality Assurance Programs, documentation review organizations to identify potential problems such as this. The review efforts performed by these organizations is an on-going normal practice and was not designed or implemented as a result of this subject investigation. As no specific occurrences are identified, the normal process of paper work through these review programs will be the only action taken on these matters. The follow-up report will be submitted by July 31, 1982.

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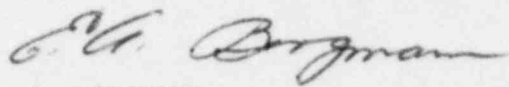
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We trust the above will be found acceptable as an interim report under 10CFR50.55(e).

Very truly yours,

THE CINCINNATI GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

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