

THE CINCINNATI GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY



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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region III  
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Attention: Mr. J. G. Keppler  
Regional Administrator

RE: WM. H. ZIMMER NUCLEAR POWER STATION UNIT I  
10CFR50.55(e) - ITEM S-5 - COATING DEFICIENCIES  
DOCKET NO. 50-358, CONSTRUCTION PERMIT NO. CPPR-88,  
W.O. #57300 JOB E-5590 FILE NO. NRC-9, S-5

Gentlemen:

This letter constitutes an interim report concerning the subject condition, initially reported to the Commission on September 28, 1982, as a potentially reportable deficiency under 10CFR50.55(e).

CG&E has initiated a comprehensive investigation program utilizing Midway Industrial Contractors, Inc., to verify the integrity of Service Level I coatings. To date, the investigation has revealed several conditions which require further investigation and may require a testing program to resolve conditions found.

Upon completion of this investigation, the results will be evaluated and required corrective action identified. Inspection is scheduled for completion in the Drywell by February 18, 1983 and in the Suppression Pool by March 18, 1983. A follow-up report will be submitted by April 15, 1983.

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

Very truly yours,

THE CINCINNATI GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

By

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