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

SUBJECT: LER 82-007/01T, "RCS Heatup and Cooldown Rates"
R.E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant, Unit No. 1
Docket No. 50-244

Dear Mr. Haynes:

This is to confirm a phone conversation between Mr. Bruce A. Snow, Plant Superintendent, and Mr. Roy Zimmerman NRC Ginna Resident Inspector, on February 23, 1982 at 1500 hours.

In accordance with Technical Specification 6.9.2.a.(2), "Operation of the unit or affected system when any parameter of operation subject to a limiting condition is less conservative than the least conservative aspect of the limiting condition for operation established in the technical specifications", the following is submitted.

On January 25, 1982, Ginna Station experienced an event described in LER 82-003. This event led to an RCS cooldown rate greater than 100 °F/hr. This rate is contrary to Technical Specifications Section 3.1.2.1.a, which states in part "... The heat up and cooldown rate shall not exceed 60 °F/hr and 100 °F/hr respectively." Further information regarding this LER will be submitted with the 14 day written report.

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