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April 29, 1983

Mr. James G. Keppler  
Regional Administrator, Region III  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
799 Roosevelt Road  
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

RE: Perry Nuclear Power Plant  
Docket Nos. 50-440; 50-441  
Piping Supports Supplied by  
Transamerica Delaval, Inc.  
[RDC 67(83)]

Dear Mr. Keppler:

This letter serves as the second interim report pursuant to 10CFR50.55(e) concerning ASME Code Section III, Class 3, piping supports supplied to the Perry Nuclear Power Plant by Transamerica Delaval, Inc. Mr. P. R. Pelke of your office was first notified on February 23, 1983, by Mr. E. Riley of The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (CEI) that this problem was being evaluated and an initial report was submitted March 25, 1983.

This report contains a description of the deficiency, of the method planned for status of the evaluation, and the date for submittal of our next report on this subject.

## Description of Deficiency

Specification 562-4549-00, Section 2:05 Item 3a and Section 2:16 Item 1, require that most piping components are to be built to the ASME Code Section III, Class 3. Transamerica Delaval, contracted under specification 562-4549-00, supplied skid mounted piping supports without material certification and identification as outlined in ASME NF-2130 and NF-2150.

## Status of Evaluation

Transamerica Delaval is presently reanalyzing their ASME Section III, Class 3, pipe supports and auxiliary skid for compliance to the requirements of Section III Subsection NF of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code. Delaval has indicated that this analysis will not be completed until the later part of May.

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Upon receipt from Delaval of this analysis The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and Transamerica Delaval will identify the needed modifications to upgrade the supports to meet the requirements of ASME Section III, Subsection "NF".

At this time, the full extent of the modification is not known. A follow-up report will be issued by July 1, 1983.

Please call if there are any additional questions.

Sincerely,

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