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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
Drywell Airlock Door Seals
[RDC 86(83)]

Dear Mr. Keppler:

As stated in our interim report to you dated November 17, 1983, we had planned to submit our final report on the inflatable drywell airlock door seals by April 27, 1984. Our interim report addressed a 10CFR21 notification by the W. J. Woolley Company regarding the qualification of inflatable door seals supplied to the PNPP Project.

Our commitment was based upon Woolley's schedule of designing and testing a new seal by March of 1984. While Woolley has completed a new seal design, they have indicated qualification tests will not be completed until late summer of 1984. Due to this delay, we now plan to submit the final report on this subject by October 26, 1984.

Please call me if there are additional questions.

Sincerely,

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Vice President
Nuclear Group

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