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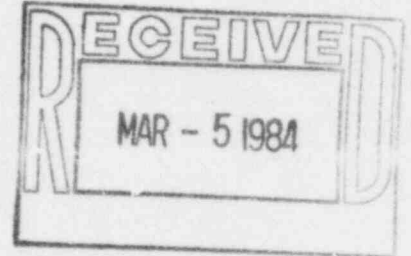
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REFERENCE: Telecon C. Hooper (LP&L) and D. Hunnicut (NRC IV) on
February 2, 1984

Dear Mr. Collins:

SUBJECT: Waterford SES Unit No. 3
Docket No. 50-382
Potentially Reportable Deficiency No. 147
"Safety Injection Valve Actuators, Potential Failure of"
Final Report

On February 2, 1984, a problem with the Safety Injection Valve Actuators was reported as Potentially Reportable Deficiency No. 147. Further evaluation of the previously described condition indicates this condition is not considered reportable pursuant to the requirement of 10CFR 50.55(e).

EVALUATION

The valves in question (SI405A and 405B), although presently installed, were not yet fully qualified for use during station operation. Testing required and to be performed under Borg-Warner Procedure 1957, Rev. A to fulfill requirements for Environmental Qualification had not been initiated. This fact was documented formally in the Safety Evaluation Report (NUREG 0787, Supp. 5).

Because the valve operators deficiency under post accident containment conditions was found during preliminary environmental testing, which is a normal, required inspection, and also that the repair can be readily accomplished, the incident is not reportable under 10CFR50.55(e).

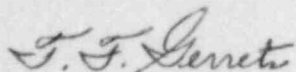
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This PRD is, therefore, considered not reportable.

Very truly yours,



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