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Subject: Duane Arnold Energy Center
Docket No: 50-331
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Technical Specifications Bases Change
(RTS-283): "Core Spray Pump Operability Requirements During Core
Alterations"
File: A-117, E-21

Dear Mr. Russell:

This letter is to notify you of changes to the Duane Arnold Energy Center (DAEC)
Technical Specifications (TS) Bases.

In accordance with 10 CFR Section 50.36, the TS Bases are not a part of the TS.
Therefore these changes are not being submitted as an application for amendment of the
DAEC Operating License since the requirements of 10 CFR Section 50.90 are not
applicable to such changes.

TS Section 3.5.G.4 specifies the minimum low pressure cooling requirements necessary
during core alterations. This change adds clarification to the TS Bases for the single core
spray pump requirement.

These changes have been reviewed by the DAEC Operations Committee. These changes
do not change the TS incorporated into the DAEC Operating License and do not involve a
change to the Updated Final Safety Analysis Report that involves an unreviewed safety
question as defined in 10 CFR Section 50.59.

This letter makes no new commitments.

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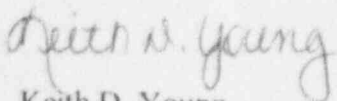
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We request you replace the corresponding page in your copy of the DAEC TS with the enclosed revised page.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact this office.



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Attachment: Change (RTS-283) to the Duane Arnold Energy Center Technical Specifications Bases

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