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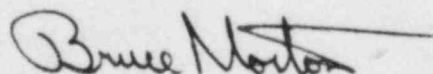
In the Matter of
PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
(Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and 2)
Docket Nos. 50-275 OL and 50-323 OL

Dear Members of the Appeal Board:

This letter is to inform the Board of an error contained in Attachment A of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Answer to Joint Intervenors' Motion to Reopen the Record on Design Quality Assurance. Pages 46-49 of Attachment A centers on a Stokes' allegation (2/8/84, p. 6) concerning incorrect assumption about welds. It was alleged, among other things, that PG&E had purchased and used Japanese steel with radii of 1.5T. The text of Attachment A states that allegation is false (p. 47, para. 110). In fact, the specific allegation is only half false. While there has been no Japanese tube steel purchased or used at Diablo Canyon there has been tube steel used for construction of pipe supports with a radii of less than 2T.

It is believed that the final conclusion of Attachment A as respects the allegation in question remains the same, i.e., the allegation is without substantive merit. However, the Diablo Canyon Project is conducting an extensive investigation into weld assumptions for tube steel applications in pipe supports and will supplement Attachment A as respects this allegation by Wednesday, April 11, 1984.

Respectfully submitted,



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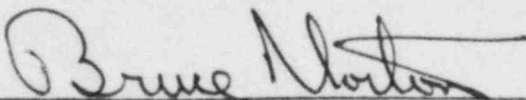
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