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LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90024

22 June 1984

Harold R. Denton
Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

DOCKET 50-142
LICENSE R-71

Dear Mr. Denton:

In withdrawing the UCLA application for renewal of operating license R-71, it will be necessary for UCLA to continue under a "possession only" license. With this in mind, UCLA has rendered the reactor inoperable by severing all control rod drive shafts at the surface of the biological shield, has initiated action to return the fuel to the Department of Energy, and is engaged in formulating decommissioning plans.

This is a request to amend the UCLA operating license to a possession only license with possession to initially include those items specified in the license as amended March 2, 1983. The Commission will be advised of depletions of these items as they are removed from the site for disposal (fuel) or possibly transferred to other licenses (lesser items).

Sincerely,

Walter F. Wegst

Walter F. Wegst, Director
Research & Occupational Safety

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss

On June 27, 1984, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared WALTER F. WEGST known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.



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