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August 24, 1984

Mr. H. R. Denton, Director  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
Washington, D. C. 20555

Attention: Mr. J. R. Miller, Chief  
Operating Reactors, Branch 3

Gentlemen:

DOCKET NOS. 50-266 AND 50-301  
EVALUATION OF ANKER-HOLTH HYDRAULIC SNUBBERS  
POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2

This letter is to confirm the August 23, 1984 telephone call between Mr. Ron Seizert of my staff and Mr. Charles Trammel of your staff acknowledging our receipt of a letter written by Mr. John McCabe for Paul-Munroe Energy Products to the Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, dated August 10, 1984. This letter described the existence of a potential defect in Anker-Holth large bore snubbers and was supplemental to the Paul-Munroe letter to the NRC dated July 12, 1984. Mr. C. W. Krause of my staff also discussed our receipt of this letter with Mr. T. Colburn, the regular Point Beach NRC Project Manager, in a second telephone call on August 24, 1984.

As indicated in the August 10 letter, Ankor-Holth large bore snubbers are utilized in safety-related applications at both Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2. Accordingly, and as discussed in the referenced telephone calls, we are presently evaluating the information provided in the August 10 letter to determine the potential impact upon Point Beach operations. We shall keep you advised of these evaluations.

Very truly yours,

Vice President-Nuclear Power

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