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MEMORANDUM FOR: C. Thomas, Chief, Standardization and Special Projects
Branch, Division of Licensing

FROM: O. Parr, Chief, Auxiliary Systems Branch, Division of
Systems Integration

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF VITAL AREAS FOR BEAVER VALLEY POWER STATION, UNIT 2

By memorandum dated August 2, 1984, you requested our review of Section 4.0 - Vital Area Identification of the Safety Evaluation Report (SER) prepared by NMSS for the Beaver Valley Power Station, Unit 2. Prior to your request, a meeting between the NRR and NMSS staff was held concerning vital area identification. During that meeting it was agreed that ASB would review the NMSS SER for information only and would not apply any vital area identification criteria beyond the present requirements of 10 CFR 73.55. In accordance with that agreement, we have reviewed the Beaver Valley, Unit 2 vital areas and have identified no concerns related to meeting 10 CFR 73.55 requirements assuming that the refueling water storage tank is included in a vital area. The NMSS SER recognizes the lack of a protected water source and it is our understanding that the applicant has agreed to identify and protect this water source as vital.

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