

July 29, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR: Hugh L. Thompson, Jr., Director
Division of Licensing
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM: Brian K. Grimes, Director
Division of Quality Assurance, Vendor
and Technical Training Center Programs
Office of Inspection and Enforcement

SUBJECT: POTENTIAL BOARD NOTIFICATIONS ON ALLEGATIONS
CONCERNING WESTINGHOUSE

The enclosed document contains a number of allegations concerning Westinghouse, Water Reactor Division. (This document is in the PDR.) Westinghouse is aware of the allegations and has stated in a July 12, 1985 letter (copy enclosed) that "Our preliminary review has revealed no actual safety deficiencies as a result of the alleged incidents and practices."

The Vendor Program Branch, IE, will conduct an inspection at the Westinghouse Monroeville Nuclear Center in August which will include a review of the safety significance of each allegation. An NRR participant knowledgeable in the technical areas discussed in the allegations and their potential effects upon licensing considerations, if any, would be helpful.

Please contact me or Gary Zech if you have any questions regarding the enclosed document and whether you can provide an NRR member for the August inspection.

Pending that VPB inspection, an NRR review of the allegations is recommended to determine whether appropriate board notifications should be made at this time.

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by:*

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Enclosure:
Letter dated June 17, 1985

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