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Attention: Ms. Claudia M. Craig, Senior Project Manager
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Dear Ms. Craig:

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING INFORMATION FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURES
- WESTINGHOUSE LETTER OF OCTOBER 16, 1996 (NSD-NRC-96-4846)

In your letter dated December 20, 1996 concerning Westinghouse's requests for proprietary treatment of a submittal of presentation material pertaining to the incomplete rod insertion issue, your office objected to the proprietary classification of several cited phrases. Your letter required a response by Monday, January 20, 1997. We also have a request on a similar issue regarding the incomplete rod insertion issue with a response date of January 27, 1997.

I assure you that we are working diligently to evaluate and respond to all of these issues in a constructive, timely and coordinated manner. To that end I request that the period of response to your December 20 correspondence be extended to February 4, 1997.

Very truly yours,

H. A. Sepp, Manager
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