



CONNECTICUT YANKEE ATOMIC POWER COMPANY

HADDAM NECK PLANT

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Docket No. 50-213

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Re:GL96-06

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn.: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

Haddam Neck Plant
Closeout of Commitment For GL 96-06 - Equipment Operability
and Containment Integrity During a DBA

The purpose of this letter is for the Connecticut Yankee Atomic Power Company (CYAPCO), to complete its response for the Haddam Neck Plant (HNP) to Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Generic Letter (GL) 96-06, dated September 30, 1996.¹ CYAPCO responded to NRC GL 96-06 in a letter dated October 30, 1996² and provided the necessary information with commitments to complete the requested actions.

In a letter dated December 5, 1996³ CYAPCO certified that the Haddam Neck Plant is permanently defueled. This eliminates the need for the systems stipulated in GL 96-06 for accident mitigation. The Containment Air Recirculation (CAR) fans are no longer needed for post-LOCA steam condensation and there is no accident that will cause overpressure in any piping system that penetrates the containment.

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¹ T. T. Martin letter to all holders of operating licenses or construction permits for nuclear power reactors, "NRC Generic Letter No. 96-06: Assurance of Equipment Operability and Containment Integrity During Design -Based Accident Conditions," dated September 30, 1996.

² T. C. Feigenbaum letter to the NRC "Response to Generic Letter 96-06 Assurance of Equipment Operability and Containment Integrity During Design-Basis Accident Conditions", Dated October 30, 1996.

³ T. C. Feigenbaum letter to the NRC "Certification of Permanent Cessation of Power Operation And That Fuel Has Been Permanently Removed From The Reactor" dated December 5, 1996.

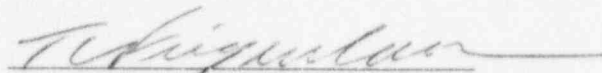
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Therefore, commitment number B15962-1, from the CYAPCO October 30, 1996 letter, will not be implemented by CYAPCO at the Haddam Neck Plant. Permanent defueling prevents the plant from entering a mode that requires the subject systems. This commitment is considered closed.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. G. P. van Noordennen at (860)267-3938.

Very truly yours,

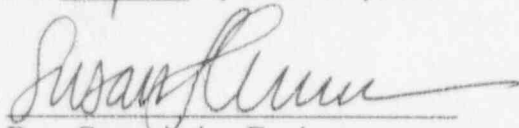
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 27 day of January, 1997



Date Commission Expires: _____

SUSAN J. NESSER, Notary Public
My Commission Expires December 22, 1998