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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

ATTENTION: Document Control Desk

SUBJECT: Calvert Cliffs Nuclear Power Plant
Unit Nos. 1 & 2; Docket Nos. 50-317 & 50-318
60-Day Response to Generic Letter 96-05, "Periodic Verification of Design-Basis Capability of Safety-Related Motor-Operated Valves"

REFERENCE: (a) Letter from Mr. T. T. Martin (NRC) to Mr. C. H. Cruse (BGE), dated September 18, 1996, "NRC Generic Letter 96-05: "Periodic Verification of Design-Basis Capability of Safety-Related Motor-Operated Valves"

The purpose of this letter is to forward our 60-day response to Reference (a). The generic letter was issued to request a written summary description of our program which periodically verifies that safety-related, motor-operated valves are capable of performing their safety and current licensing basis functions.

Attachment (1) contains our detailed response to the information requested.

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Should you have questions regarding this matter, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.


Very truly yours,



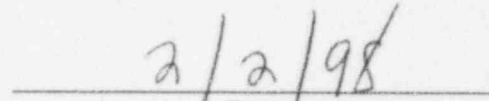
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COUNTY OF CALVERT :

I hereby certify that on the 15th day of November, 1996, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland in and for Calvert County, personally appeared Charles H. Cruse, being duly sworn, and states that he is Vice President of the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company, a corporation of the State of Maryland; that he provides the foregoing response for the purposes therein set forth; that the statements made are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief; and that he was authorized to provide the response on behalf of said Corporation.

WITNESS my Hand and Notarial Seal:


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:


Date

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Attachment: (1) Baltimore Gas & Electric Company's 60-Day Response to Generic Letter 96-05:
"Periodic Verification of Design-Basis Capability of Safety-Related Motor-Operated Valves"

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ATTACHMENT (1)

**BALTIMORE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY'S
60-DAY RESPONSE TO GL 96-05:
PERIODIC VERIFICATION OF DESIGN-BASIS CAPABILITY OF
SAFETY-RELATED MOTOR-OPERATED VALVES**

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60-DAY RESPONSE TO GL 96-05: "PERIODIC VERIFICATION OF DESIGN-BASIS CAPABILITY
OF SAFETY-RELATED MOTOR-OPERATED VALVES"

REQUIRED RESPONSE

Within 60 days from the date of this generic letter, Baltimore Gas and Electric Company is required to submit a written response indicating whether or not the requested actions will be completed.

Response

The requested actions are to establish a program to verify, on a periodic basis, that safety-related MOVs continue to be capable of performing their safety functions within the current licensing basis of the facility. The program should ensure that changes in required performance resulting from degradation (such as those caused by age) can be properly identified and accounted for.

We are currently revising our program to verify, on a periodic basis, that safety-related MOVs continue to be capable of performing their safety functions within the current licensing basis of the facility. The revised program will meet the requested actions of Generic Letter 96-05, and will ensure that changes in required performance resulting from degradation (such as those caused by age) can be properly identified and accounted for. We currently expect to implement this program by March 17, 1997.