

REGULATORY COMPLIANCE DIV.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Richard H. Vollmer, Director
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THRU: James P. Knight, Assistant Director for
Components and Structures Engineering, DE

FROM: Robert E. Jackson, Chief
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SUBJECT: DIABLO CANYON HEARING REOPENING AND SAN DIEGO
2 & 3 REVIEW STATUS

REFERENCES: (1) Memorandum for James P. Knight from Robert E. Jackson on San Onofre 2 & 3 Review Status, dated June 11, 1980

(2) Atomic Safety and Licensing Appeal Board Decision, dated June 24, 1980 with cover note from Edward G. Ketchen, dated June 25, 1980

The referenced memorandum contains a SONGS 2 & 3 review schedule with a preliminary geology and wellsmology input to the SER by about August 1, 1980. This will be supplemented as additional information becomes available from the applicant and HRC consultants, resulting in our final input by October 1, 1980. Because the potential exists for delays due to reopening of the Diablo Canyon hearing, an SER date of December 31, 1980 is possible.

On June 24, 1980 the Atomic Safety and Licensing Appeal Board (ASLAB), second rehearing, granted the Joint Intervenor's motion to reopen the hearings on Diablo Canyon based on their judgment that the Imperial Valley earthquake of October 15, 1979 may shed significant additional light upon the correctness of key seismic findings made by the Licensing Board. The ASLAB provided a set of nine questions with their decision and instructed the parties involved to address them with written direct testimony within 45 days from the date of the decision.

Robert L. Rothman is the seismology reviewer for SOXES 2 & 3 and is also the seismologist assigned to the Diablo Canyon hearings. The reopening of the Diablo Canyon hearings and the requirement for Dr. Rothman to prepare written testimony will cause a slippage in the SOXES 2 & 3 review. Below is our estimate of the new schedule.

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Diablo Canyon written testimony
Preliminary SER Seismic Input
Final SER Seismic Input

July 22, 1980
September 1, 1980
November 1, 1980

This schedule is predicated on the assumption that Dr. Rothman will not be required to spend an extended period of time in California at the ASLAB hearings prior to the completion of the SONGS SER and that he will be essentially free to work exclusively on these projects.

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