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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-254/99017(DRS); 50-265/99017(DRS)

Dear Mr. Kingsley:

On August 27, 1999, the NRC completed the pilot baseline annual inspection of Changes to the Safety Analysis Report and the biennial Permanent Plant Modifications inspection at your Quad Cities Nuclear Station. The results of these inspections were discussed on August 27, 1999, with Mr. J. Dimette and other members of your staff. The enclosed report presents the results of these inspections.

The inspections were an examination of activities conducted under your license as they relate to changes to the Updated Final Safety Analysis Report under the provisions of 10 CFR 50.59 and changes to the facility via permanent plant modifications to verify compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selected examination of procedures and representative records, observations of activities, and interviews with personnel.

One minor issue regarding the failure to retain a post modification test was identified. This issue was categorized as Green. In addition, several previously identified issues were evaluated and one additional example of a previous violation was identified regarding updating of the Updated Final Safety Analysis Report. Enforcement discretion was applied to the previous violation and no additional actions are necessary for this new example. However, if you contest the addition to the violation, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, DC 20555-0001, with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region III and the Director, Office of Enforcement, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

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