April 25, 2001

Mr. Ron J. DeGregorio Vice President - Oyster Creek AmerGen Energy Company, LLC P.O. Box 388 Forked River, NJ 08731

SUBJECT: REQUALIFICATION PROGRAM INSPECTION - OYSTER CREEK

Dear Mr. DeGregorio:

In a telephone conversation on April 25, 2001, Mr. J. H. Williams, Examiner/Inspector, and Mr. C. Silvers, Supervisor, Operator Training, made arrangements for the NRC to inspect the licensed operator requalification program at the Oyster Creek facility. The inspection is planned for the week of June 4, 2001, which coincides with your regularly scheduled requalification examination cycle. The staff at your facility should prepare and conduct the requalification examinations in accordance with your NRC-approved requalification program.

In accordance with 10 CFR 55.59(c), the NRC may request facility licensees to submit their comprehensive requalification written examinations or annual operating tests as necessary to support the NRC's inspection program needs. In order for the NRC to adequately prepare for this inspection, please furnish a listing of corrective action reports related to training or operator errors, as well as the examination schedule, sample plan, written examinations, and operating tests scheduled for the week of the inspection to the NRC by May 15, 2001. Mr. Silvers has been advised of this request and provided with the name and address of the NRC lead inspector assigned to this inspection.

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Mr. Ron J. DeGregorio

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions regarding this inspection, please contact Mr. J. H. Williams at (610) 337-5124.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Richard J. Conte, Chief Operational Safety Branch Division of Reactor Safety

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