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Dear Dr. Delgado:

On behalf of Commissioner Merrifield and myself, I would once again like to thank you for your kind hospitality and tireless efforts to assure our visit was productive and mutually beneficial. I gained a great deal personally from the trip and hope we can return your hospitality during a future visit to NRC's Region IV.

During our discussions, you indicated an interest in having members of your staff attend our Resident Inspector Counterpart Meetings as a means of broadening their exposure to international regulatory processes. I have discussed your request with Mr. Luis Reyes, my counterpart in NRC's Region II office in Atlanta, Georgia, and we would both be delighted to have your staff members participate in our counterpart meetings.

For planning purposes, the next two Resident Counterpart Meetings scheduled to be held in Arlington, Texas, are scheduled for May 21-25, 2001, and November 12-16, 2001. I would be happy to serve as the first point of contact should you wish to have a staff member attend either or both of these meetings.

Our Region II office in Atlanta has just completed their first meeting of the year. The second is scheduled for August 2001. Mr. Luis Reyes, the Regional Administrator, can be contacted at:

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Once again, we enjoyed our visit and meetings with CNSNS and appreciate the efforts you made on our behalf. If I can do anything further to assist you in this or other cooperative efforts I would be delighted to do so.

Sincerely,

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Regional Administrator

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