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Mr. Jose Luis Delgado Guardado  
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Dear Director General Delgado:

Thank you for your letter of November 8, 1999. I, too, believe that the close relations between the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and the Comisión Nacional de Seguridad Nuclear y Salvaguardias (CNSNS) should continue and, as the opportunity arises, be enhanced to our mutual benefit. NRC's participation in the upcoming emergency evaluation exercise for the Laguna Verde nuclear power station is an example of such useful cooperation.

I enjoyed meeting you and Dr. Waller on October 28 and look forward to other such occasions. I appreciate the invitation extended to me to visit your installations in Mexico City and at the Laguna Verde site near Veracruz. I would very much like to make such a visit in the future.

My best wishes to you in the holiday season and the new year.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Meserve

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