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November 8, 1999.

## DR. RICHARD A. MESERVE

'D BY SECHAIRMAN

U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

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Dear Hon. Chairman Meserve,

On behalf of the Comisión Nacional de Seguridad Nuclear y Salvaguardias (CNSNS) I am honored to congratulate you on your recent designation as Chairman of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC). The CNSNS and NRC have a long history of close cooperation on nuclear safety matters. I am fully confident that his cooperative relationship between our agencies will continue and may even be expanded under your directorship, for the benefit of both of our countries.

I would like to, once more, extend to you an invitation to visit our installations here in Mexico City and the Laguna Verde Nuclear Power Station in Veracruz, at your convenience. This, I believe, would be a magnificent opportunity for you and your staff to exchange views on nuclear safety regulatory matters of mutual interest with high-level officials of the Mexican Nuclear Power Program.

Last but not least we wish you well and much success in your new pursuit.

Yours Sincerely, JOSE LUIS DELGADO GUARDADO DIRECTOR GENERAL

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