

March 14, 2005

Mr. Hank A. Sepp  
Project Director, Decommissioning  
Westinghouse Electric Company, LLC  
Hematite Fuel Manufacturing Facility  
3300 State Road P  
Festus, MO 63028

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF VIOLATION - WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC  
COMPANY, LLC

Dear Mr. Sepp:

This acknowledges receipt of Ms. Karen Ann Craig's March 2, 2005 letter, which responded to our February 1, 2005 letter transmitting a Notice of Violation.

We have reviewed your actions to address the violation. We have determined that Westinghouse's response to the violation was not adequate. The response did not provide the reason for the violation, the date when full compliance will be achieved, the comprehensive corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved or the corrective steps taken to avoid future violations. This information is required in accordance with 10 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 2.201.

On March 11, 2005, in a teleconference between you and Mr. Christopher Martin, of my staff, we discussed our concerns with your response. You committed to complete the root cause analysis and provide a comprehensive response no later than March 28, 2005.

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If you have any further questions and/or concerns, please contact Mr. Christopher Martin, or myself at (630) 829-9500.

Sincerely,

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Jamnes L. Cameron, Chief  
Decommissioning Branch

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