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Mr. W. L. Axelson, Chief Nuclear Materials Safety and Safeguards Branch U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region III 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60237

Dear Mr. Axelson:

As agreed upon with Messrs. T. J. Madera and B. W. Stapleton of your staff, we plan to make a combined response to the reports for the July 26-31 and the September 11-14 inspections. This is necessary due to unavailability of key individuals under our current personnel situation.

We are, however, making progress in resolving most items by revising internal procedures and our FNMCP. FNMCP revisions are being discussed with NRC Safeguards Licensing.

Very truly yours,

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