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Attention: Document Control Desk
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Subject: Response to NRC Generic Letter 95-01: NRC Staff Technical Position on Fire Protection for Fuel Cycle Facilities

References: (A) CE (M. A. Michelsen) letter to NRC (R. Pierson), ML-94-052, dated September 20, 1994

(B) CE (J. F. Conant) letter to NRC (S. Soong), ML-94-013, dated March 28, 1994

Dear Sirs:

The subject Generic Letter was received on February 14, 1995. It requested a statement on how we will implement the guidance of Position 9, Fire Hazard Analysis, and Position 10, Pre-Fire Plan, of the Technical Position on Fire Protection for Fuel Cycle Facilities, published in the Federal Register (57 FR 35607-13) dated August 10, 1992. This letter provides our response.

In Reference (A), Combustion Engineering submitted the Hematite Pre-Fire Plan. We intend to maintain that Plan as part of our Emergency Procedures. Reference (B) submitted responses to questions concerning Fire Safety associated with the Hematite License Renewal. As stated in Combustion Engineering's response to Question 8 of Reference (B), we intend to evaluate the need for a more formalized fire hazards analysis as part of Combustion Engineering's license renewal commitment (renewal application Part I Section 1.6(f)) to evaluate the safety program with respect to the "Guidance On Management Controls/Quality Assurance, Requirements for Operation, Chemical Safety, and Fire Protection for Fuel Cycle Facilities".

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If there are questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (203) 285-5261.

Very truly yours,

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