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Combustion Engineering, Inc.
ATTN: Mr. H. V. Lichtenberger
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## Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safeguards material control and accountability inspection conducted by Mr. A. G. Finley of this office and Mr. J. Blaylock of the NRC Headquarters Safeguards Branch and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. J. A. Rode, Plant Manager, and Mr. H. Eskridge, Supervisor, Nuclear Licensing Safety and Accountability at the conclusion of the inspection. The inspection was a review of activities at the Combustion Engineering Hematite Plant, authorized by NRC License No. SNM-33.

The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of observing the semiannual physical inventory, and as part of inventory verification, the selection of 70 samples which were submitted to the New Brunswick Laboratory for analysis. Other areas involved a review of the records to validate the book physical inventory, observations, and interviews with personnel.

An addendum to the enclosed inspection report will be issued upon receipt of analytical results from the New Brunswick Laboratory. The addendum will include an evaluation of the submitted results.

No items of noncompliance with NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection concern a subject matter which is exempt from disclosure according to Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of

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Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Consequently, our report of this inspection will not be placed in the Public Document Room.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by J. R. Miller

J. R. Miller, Chief Technical Inspection Branch

Enclosure: Inspection Report No. 70-36/82-03(DETP) (2.790(d) Information)

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## REGION III

Report No. 70-36/82-03(DETP)

Docket No. 70-36

License No. SNM-33

Safeguards Group III

Licensee: Combustion Engineering, Inc.

Post Office Box 500 Windsor, CT 06095

Facility Name: Hematite Plant

Inspection At: Hematite, MO

Inspection Conducted: June 29 through July 2, 1982

Date of Last Material Control and Accounting Inspection: March 8-12, 1982

Type of Inspection: Announced Inventory Verification

Inspectors: A. G. Finley, Auditor

Approved By:

Safeguards Section

Inspection Summary

Inspection on June 29, through July 2, 1982 (Report No. 70-36/82-03(DETP)) Areas Inspected: Inventory and Inventory Verification. The inspection involved 50 inspection-hours onsite by two NRC inspectors and was begun during the regular hours.

Results: The licensee was found to be in compliance with NRC requirements in the two areas examined during the inspection.

(Details - 2.790(d) Information)