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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 11, 1991, LETTER RELATIVE TO PLANNED WORK ACTIVITIES

We have reviewed your letter dated October 11, 1991, relative to field work you plan to initiate in the near future. The enclosure to your letter provides a detailed list of work proposed.

In general, we concur with the philosophy of your planned work activities which involve maintenance type work and plant cleanup in preparation for future work. However, Item 1 of your enclosure involves Maintenance Requests (MRs) and Work Requests/Work Orders (WRs/WOs) to complete corrective actions on a Condition Adverse to Quality Report (CAQR) for fire protection hangers. The CAQR (WBP870247) identifies many discrepancies which will require more than maintenance and cleanup work.

It is our expectation that the work under this item will be limited to replacement of missing fasteners and parts, tightening fasteners, adjustments, etc., that can be accomplished without welding, drilling, installation of new anchors, or any other modification type of work. An exception to this could be modification work needed to maintain adequate fire protection capability. It is our understanding that such an exception is not now required.

Also, Item 5 of your enclosure involves MRs, WRs/WOs of a simple straight forward nature that will not require welding, opening system boundaries, or complicated equipment teardowns. The enclosure provides a list of examples of MRs and WRs/WOs and states that the site resident inspectors will be notified of any additions to the list. While the site resident inspector needs to be kept informed of any additions to the list, NRC agreement to expand the list needs to be obtained through the Regional office.

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In summary, subject to the conditions above, we concur with the performance of work identified in your letter of October 11, 1991.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

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