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 NRC members, Oak Ridge Associated Univs radiation safety
 training course acceptable as training for portion of
 radiation safety indoctrination course.

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William P. Gammill
Acting Assistant Director
for Operating Reactor Projects
Division of Operating Reactors
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
United States Nuclear Regulation Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

RE: Duane Arnold Energy Center
SUBJECT: Response to NRC letter, dated October 2, 1979 from
William P. Gammill to all Power Reactor Licensees
FILE: A-107a

Dear Mr. Gammill:

This letter is in response to your letter concerning reduced training requirements for NRC staff members.

We are willing to accept the Oak Ridge Associated Universities radiation safety training course as equivalent training for a portion of our overall radiation safety indoctrination course. Site specific training will require approximately 2 to 3 hours of additional training. In accordance with the DAEC Radiation Protection Procedures, this training is valid for up to two years. Beyond that date, retraining must be provided.

It should be noted that, if the regulatory guide published for comment on this subject is adopted, the ORAU will no longer be acceptable.

In addition, the certificate provided does not diminish the requirements to provide security clearance information, licensee information for previous occupational exposure to radiation and radioactive material or physical qualification information if respiratory protection devices are to be worn.

Sincerely,

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