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SUBJECT: Forwards "Reactor Containment Bldg Integrated Leak Rate Test" for 1985 refueling outage. Leakage rate within allowable limits. Next Type A test scheduled during Cycle 9/10 refueling outage in 1988.

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Mr. Harold Denton, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington D.C. 20555

Subject: Duane Arnold Energy Center
Docket No. 50-331
Operating License NO. DPR-49
Reactor Containment Building Integrated Leak Rate Test
and Local Leak Rate Test

Dear Mr. Denton:

In accordance with Appendix A to Operating License DPR-49, Technical Specifications, Sections 6.11.3, 4.7.A.2.g and 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix J, Section V.B, please find attached a copy of the Duane Arnold Energy Center (DAEC) "Reactor Containment Building Integrated Leak Rate Test" for the 1985 refueling outage. Included as appendices to this report are the results and analysis of the Type B and Type C tests that were also performed prior to and during the refueling outage.

As documented in the attached report, testing conducted prior to startup from the 1985 refueling outage demonstrated that the DAEC primary containment leakage rate is within allowable limits. The next Type A test is currently scheduled to occur during the Cycle 9/10 refueling outage in 1988.

I trust you will find the information provided satisfactory.

Very truly yours,



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