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UNITS 1 AND 2

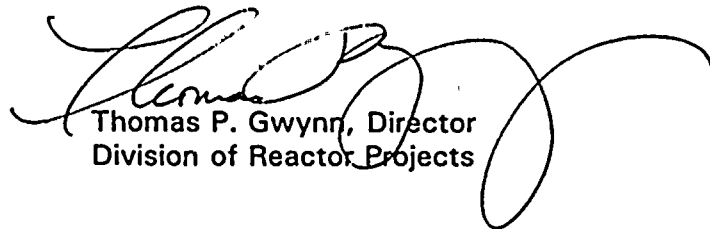
Dear Mr. Rueger:

On March 25, 1997, the NRC staff completed the SPPR of Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and 2. The staff conducts these reviews for all operating nuclear power plants to develop an integrated understanding of safety performance. The results are used by NRC management to facilitate planning and allocation of inspection resources. The SPPR for Diablo Canyon involved the participation of all technical divisions in evaluating inspection results and safety performance information for the period from October 1, 1996, through March 1997. SPPRs provide NRC management with a current summary of licensee performance and serve as inputs to the NRC Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance and Senior Management Meeting reviews.

This letter advises you of our planned inspection effort resulting from the Diablo Canyon SPPR review. It is provided to minimize the resource impact on your staff and to allow for scheduling conflicts and personnel availability to be resolved in advance of inspector arrival onsite. The enclosure details our inspection plan for the next 8 months. The rationale or basis for each inspection outside the core inspection program is provided so that you are aware of the reason for emphasis in these program areas. Resident inspections are not listed due to their ongoing and continuous nature.

We will inform you of any changes to the inspection plan. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Howard Wong at (510)-975-0296.

Sincerely,



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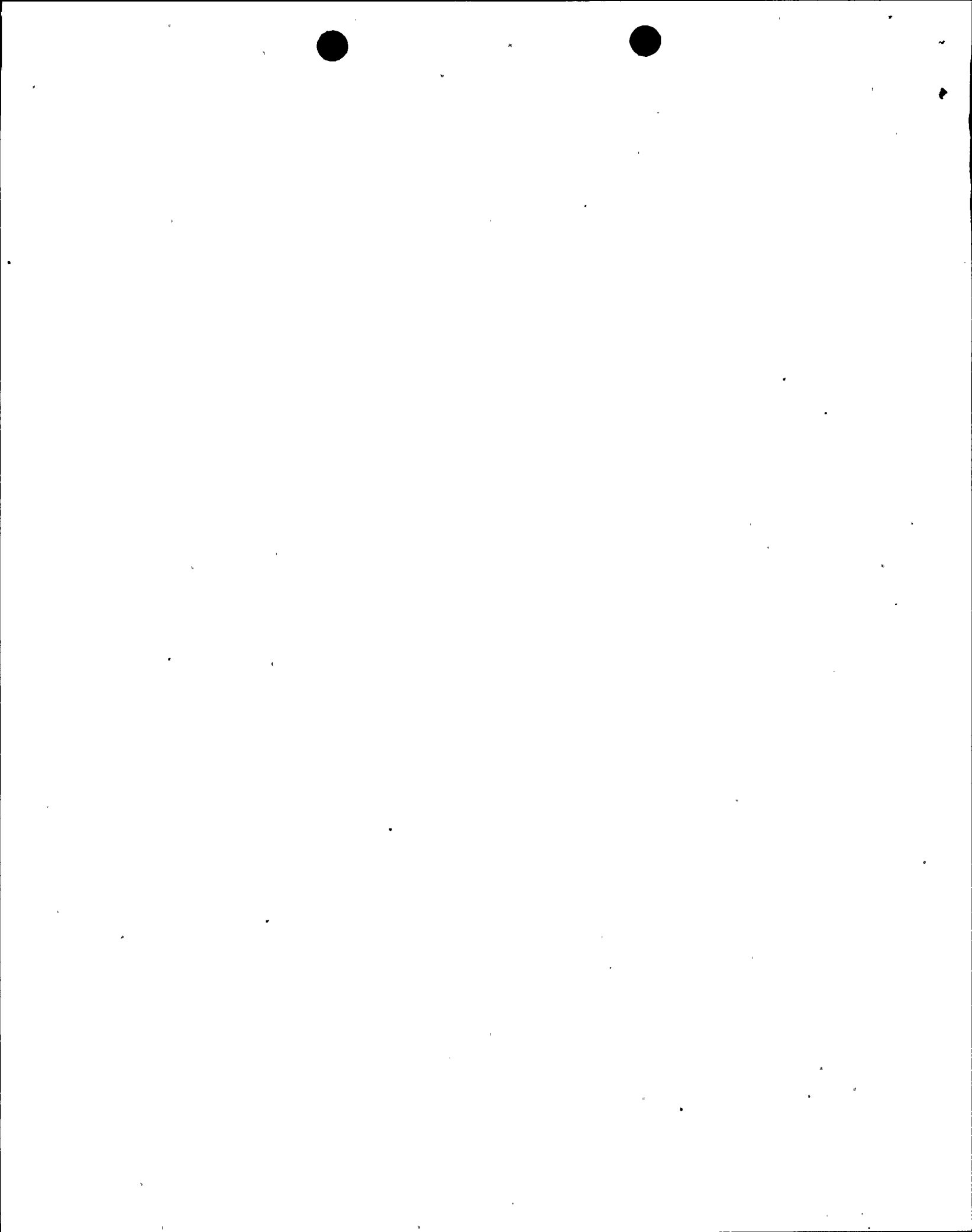


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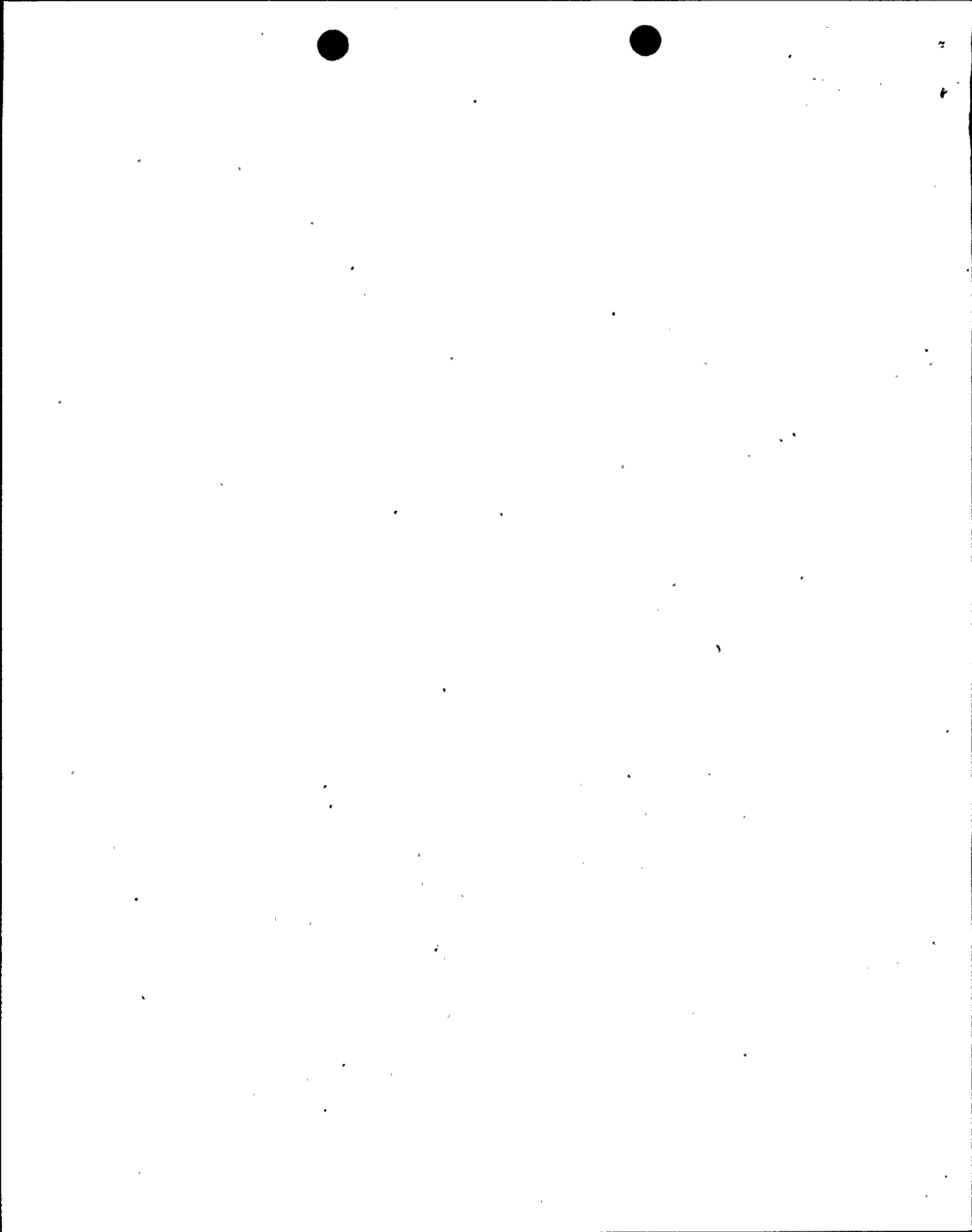
INSPECTION PLAN

IP - Inspection Procedure

TI - Temporary Instruction

Core Inspection - Minimum NRC Inspection Program (mandatory all plants).

INSPECTION	TITLE/ PROGRAM AREA	NUMBER OF INSPECTORS	DATES	TYPE OF INSPECTION/COMMENTS
IP 71001	Licensed Operator Requalification Program	3	4/14-18/97	Core Inspection -
IP 92903	Followup - Engineering	1	4/21-25/97	Regional Initiative. Followup of engineering open items.
IP 73753	Inservice Inspection	1	4/21-25/97	Core Inspection
IP 71715	Sustained Control Room and Plant Observation	4	4/21-5/2/97	Regional Initiative
IP 83750	Occupational Radiation Exposure	2	5/12-16/97	Core Inspection
IP 62706	Maintenance Rule Baseline	7	7/7-11/97	Regional Team (required by NRR program office)
IP 73756	Inservice Testing of Pumps and Valves	3	7/14-18/97	Regional Initiative
N/A	Architect - Engineering Inspection	6	7/28-8/8/97	Special Headquarters Initiative
IP 84750	Radioactive Waste Treatment and Effluent and Environmental Monitoring	2	8/25-29/97	Core Inspection
TI-132	Malevolent Use of Vehicles	1	9/2-5/97	Temporary Instruction



IP 37750	Engineering	3	10/20-24/97 11/3-7/97	Core Inspection
IP 64704	Fire Protection Program	1	11/3-7/97 10/20-24/97	Core Inspection
IP 40500	Effectiveness of Licensee Controls in Identifying, Resolving, and Preventing Problems	3	12/1-5/97 12/15-19/97	Core Inspection
IP 83750	Radiation Protection	1	8/4-8/97	Core Inspection
IP 82701	Emergency Preparedness Operational Status Inspection	2	12/8-12/97	Core Inspection
IP 81700	Physical Security Program	1	8/11-15/97	Core Inspection

