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Mr. Boyce H. Grier, Director
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Commission - Region I
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Dear Mr. Grier:

1. A review of the Nine Mile Point systems which are considered non-radioactive, and those which are normally slightly contaminated, has been made to identify potential leakage pathways and to ensure capability exists to detect leakage which would result in release of radioactive material from the restricted area. Systems included in the review were: auxiliary boilers, reactor building cooling water system (RCLC), turbine building cooling water system (TCLC), service water system, demineralized water system, instrument air system, breathing air system, house service air system, sanitary waste system, perimeter drains, emergency (isolation) condensers, and make-up demineralizer regenerant waste tank.

2. A routine sampling/analysis program has been in place at Nine Mile Point. As a result of the review performed, two systems (instrument and house service air) have been added to the program, as of June 20, 1980.

3. Results of the review and sampling data are available for inspection, and a review of past data and analysis techniques has been initiated to confirm its effectiveness in detecting and quantifying potential releases.

Sincerely,

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