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Docket Nos. 50-220  
50-410

Mr. B. Ralph Sylvia  
Executive Vice President - Nuclear  
Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation  
301 Plainfield Road  
Syracuse, New York 13212

Dear Mr. Sylvia:

Subject: Combined Inspection 50-220/92-13; 50-410/92-16

This refers to the safety inspection conducted by Mr. J. Furia of this office on April 27 - May 1, 1992, of activities authorized by NRC License Nos. DPR-63 and NPF-54, and to the discussion of our findings held by Mr. J. Furia with Mr. K. Dahlberg and Mr. M. McCormick and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

This inspection included radiological controls for the second Unit 2 refueling outage, restart operations, ALARA, internal dosimetry, respiratory protection, and external dosimetry. Findings are described in the enclosed NRC Region I Inspection Report.

Significant improvement in ALARA performance was noted at Unit 2 and continued strong ALARA performance at Unit 1 was observed. However, some radiological housekeeping problems continued to be identified at Unit 2.

Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:  
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