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SUBJECT: Forwards final SALP Repts 50-220/91-99 & 50-410/91-99 for period of 910401-920523. Declining trends noted in maintenance/surveillance & emergency preparedness functional areas.

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Docket Nos. 50-220  
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Mr. B. Ralph Sylvia  
Executive Vice President - Nuclear  
Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation  
301 Plainfield Road  
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Dear Mr. Sylvia:

**Subject: Final Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) Report  
Nos. 50-220/91-99 and 50-410/91-99**

This letter forwards the Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2 Final SALP Report (Enclosure 1) for the period of April 1, 1991 through May 23, 1992. The initial SALP report was forwarded to you by our August 25, 1992 letter (Enclosure 2). Our evaluation was discussed with you and members of your staff at a meeting at NMPC training center on September 16, 1992.

NMPC continued to operate the facility safely and overall SALP performance ratings remained consistent with the previous period. However, declining trends in the Maintenance/Surveillance and Emergency Preparedness functional areas were noted. Several instances of inattention-to-detail and failure to follow procedures occurred, indicating that NMPC has not been fully effective at correcting these long-standing performance problems. There were also several instances of maintenance-related scrams and events, indicating that overall effectiveness of the maintenance program was declining. The NRC noted the consistent excellent security performance over the last several periods, and the significant improvement in the performance of the Unit 2 ALARA program.

Your letter dated October 6, 1992, transmitting your response to the initial SALP report is attached as Enclosure 3. The list of attendees at the September 16, 1992 SALP management meeting is attached as Enclosure 4. As agreed to during the SALP management meeting, we have revised our board comment in the emergency preparedness functional area. This revision is described in the final SALP Report Revision sheet, Enclosure 5 to this letter.

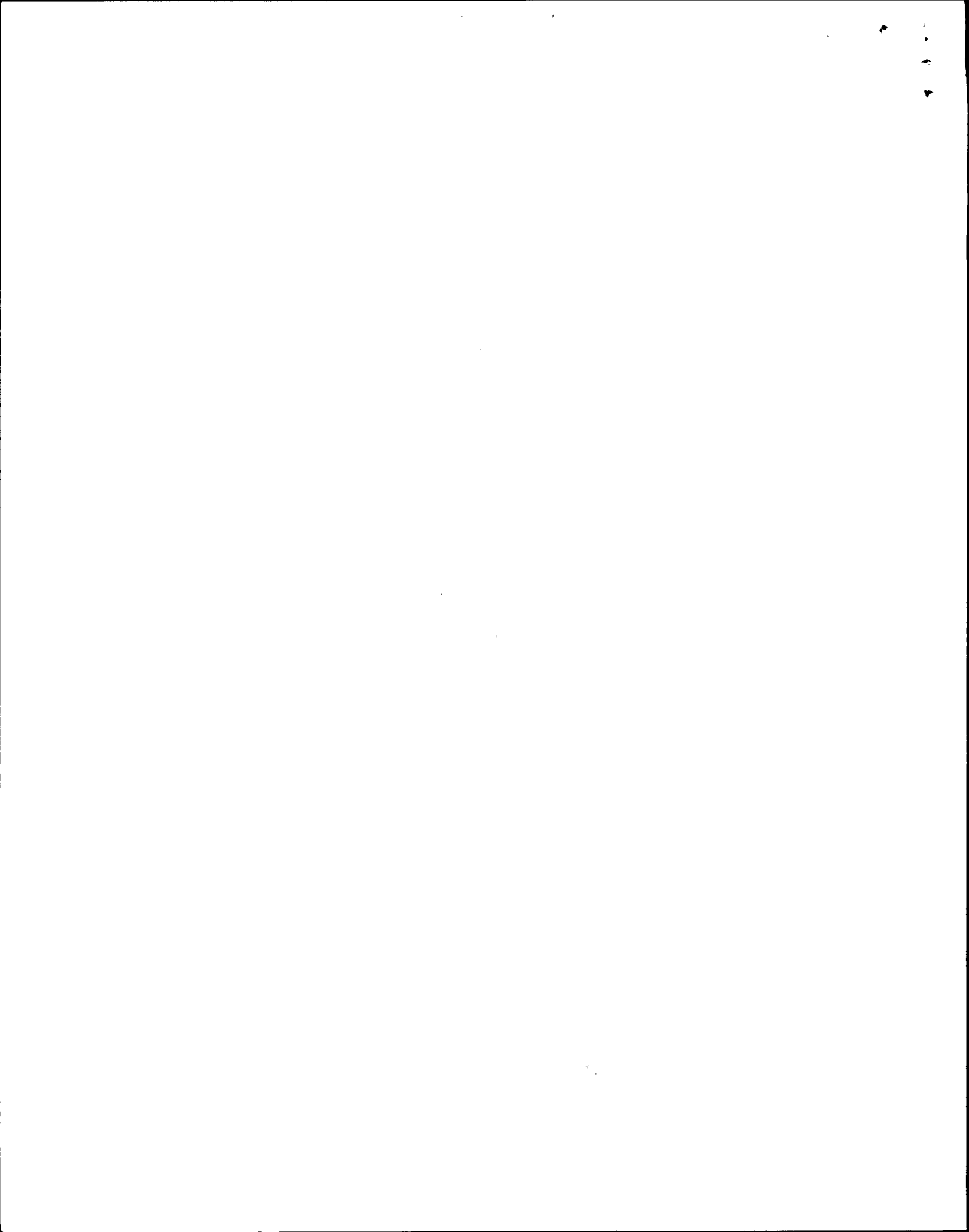
No reply to this letter is required. Your actions in response to this assessment will be reviewed as part of the continuing inspection program of your facility.

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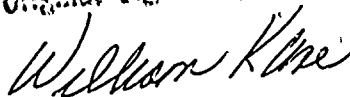
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We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:



Thomas T. Martin  
Regional Administrator

Enclosures:

1. Final SALP Report Nos. 20-220/91-99 and 50-410/91-99
2. NRC Letter to NMPC dated August 25, 1992
3. NMPC Letter to NRC dated October 6, 1992
4. List of Attendees of the September 16, 1992 SALP Management Meeting
5. Final SALP Report Revision Sheet

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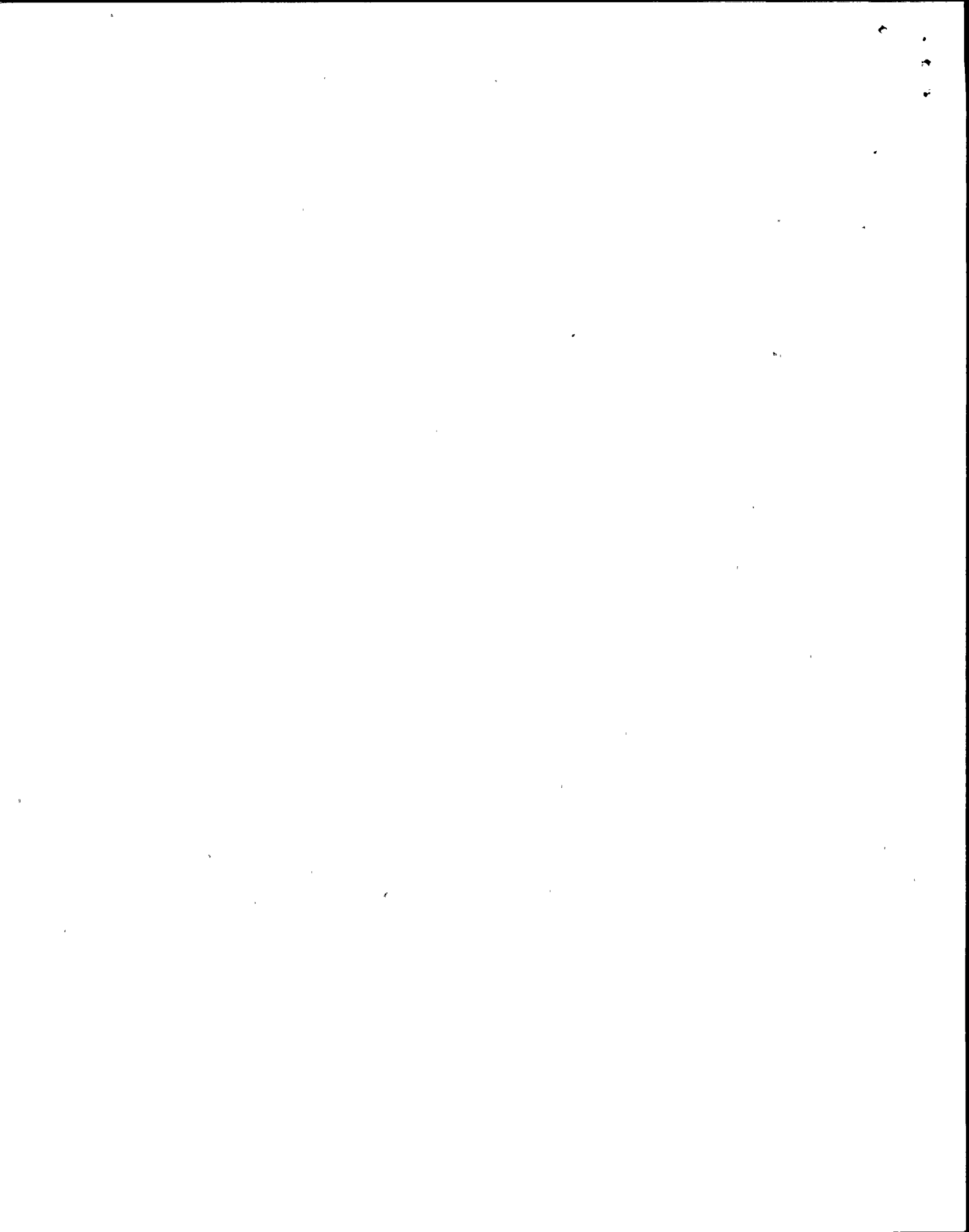
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