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determined that corective & preventive actions for
escalated enforcement items & violations were acceptable.

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July 31, 1998

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SUBJECT: NINE MILE POINT ENGINEERING FOLLOWUP INSPECTION 98-10

Dear Mr. Mueller:

This letter refers to the engineering followup inspection conducted from June 15-19, 1998 and July 6-7, 1998, at Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the license were conducted safely, and in accordance with NRC requirements. At the June 19, 1998, meeting after the first week, and the July 7, 1998, exit meeting, the findings were discussed with you and other members of your staff. Additional findings were also discussed with Mr. G. Gresock and Mr. T. Page of your staff in two telephone calls on June 26 and July 10, 1998.

The inspection was directed toward areas important to public health and safety. The area examined during this inspection included your corrective actions and actions to prevent recurrence for previously identified engineering inspection findings.

The inspector determined that your corrective and preventive actions for the escalated enforcement items and violations were acceptable. Also, your corrective actions for the unresolved engineering items and the inspection followup item were found adequate. All items inspected were closed. The inspector also determined that the QA audits and ISEG assessment reviewed by the inspector were thorough and of good quality.

No response to this letter is required, and your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

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Sincerely,

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Attachment: NRC Inspection Report 50-247/98-10

Docket Nos. 50-220, 50-410

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