

April 3, 2017

Mr. Ethan Salsbury, Quality Manager  
AMETEK Solidstate Controls  
875 Dearborn Drive  
Columbus, OH 43085

SUBJECT: VENDOR INSPECTION OF AMETEK SOLIDSTATE CONTROLS

Dear Mr. Salsbury:

This letter documents the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff's plan to perform a routine vendor inspection at AMETEK Solidstate Control's (AMETEK's) offices in Columbus, Ohio to review implementation of your quality assurance program in accordance with Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Part 50, Appendix B and 10 CFR Part 21. Specifically, the quality assurance program will be reviewed as it pertains to AMETEK's supply of nuclear safety-related components to the U.S. nuclear industry. The inspection team will focus its review on AMETEK's recent efforts to develop, test, and validate the design of digital uninterruptable power systems, as well as, on the recent supply of certain legacy analog system components. As discussed during our pre-inspection visit to your offices on March 16, 2017, the inspectors plan to arrive at your Columbus, Ohio facility, on Monday, April 17, 2017, and will conduct the inspection through Friday, April 21, 2017. Subsequent to the inspection, a report will be issued and transmitted to you via letter. The lead inspector for this effort is Jeffrey Jacobson; you may contact him at 301-415-2977 or via electronic mail at Jeffrey.Jacobson@nrc.gov.

This inspection activity has been assigned the following docket number: 99901427. Please reference this number on any correspondence relating to this inspection activity sent to the NRC.

Sincerely,

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Office of New Reactors

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