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November 20, 1995

Dr. Robert C. Mecredy
Vice President, Ginna Nuclear Operations
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Rochester, New York 14649

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION 50-244/95-17

Dear Dr. Mecredy:

This letter transmits the September 10, 1995 to October 21, 1995 inspection findings of Messrs. P. Drysdale and E. Knutson at the R. E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant. At the end of the inspection, the findings were discussed with Mr. J. Widay and other members of your staff.

The inspection was focused on areas relevant to public health and safety and examined the control of operations, maintenance, engineering, and plant support activities. Within this scope, no violations were identified.

Overall, the NRC continued to see good safety performance at Ginna. This was demonstrated by the early identification of the service water pump motor winding insulation breakdown and the comprehensive corrective actions implemented in response to the June 1995 loss of instrument air system event. The Plant Operations Review Committee and the Nuclear Safety Audit and Review Board continued to provide effective management oversight of site activities. However, the inspectors did identify certain recent incidents that merited in-depth review that were not addressed by the ACTION reporting system. Additionally, some concerns identified with the maintenance on a charging system pump and surveillance testing activities on the turbine-driven auxiliary feedwater pump, warrant management attention to assure adverse trends do not develop.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

No response to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us in these matters is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by:

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