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Gentlemen:

Subject: NRC Region I Inspection No. 50-245/90-12

This letter refers to your letter dated October 12, 1990, in response to our letter dated September 12, 1990, regarding a violation that concerns a Millstone Unit 1 required technical specification surveillance for fire detection instrumentation not being performed within the prescribed time interval.

Thank you for informing us of the corrective and preventive actions documented in your letter. These actions will be examined during a future inspection of your licensed program.

Our conclusion that you had ample opportunity to correct the condition reported in licensee event report 90-006, dated May 24, 1990, was based on the totality of the missed opportunities available to you since the initial violation in 1987. These opportunities were documented in the subject inspection report. We agree that the violation is not related directly to your implementation of the Integrated Safety Assessment Program.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,  
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