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Docket Nos. 50-220
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Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection Report Nos. 50-220/85-11, 50-410/85-20, 70-2948/85-01

This refers to the routine, safety inspection conducted by Mr. R. L. Nimitz of this office on June 24-28, 1985, at the Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2. The findings of the inspection were discussed with Messers. Roman and Abbott.

The inspection of Unit 1 covered: radioactive material handling, control and shipping; high radiation area controls, and radiological controls personnel training. The inspection of Unit 2 covered: preoperational testing of radioactive waste processing systems; the radiological control organization; staffing; training; radioactive material control and IE Bulletin 80-10.

Within the scope of this review, no violations were identified and no reply to this letter is required. The inspection of Unit 1 found that an acceptable radioactive waste shipping program was in place. The inspection of Unit 2 found that action is on-going to establish an effective radiological controls organization to support combined Unit 1 and Unit 2 operations. It appears that additional emphasis should be placed on installing, testing, and calibrating the Unit 2 process and effluent radiation monitoring equipment to ensure that the equipment is available to support your fuel loading plans. The current status of the equipment does not appear to be commensurate with the fuel load date.

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Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,
Original Signed By:

for *T. L. Harpster*
Thomas T. Martin, Director
Division of Radiation Safety
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Enclosure: Combined NRC Region I Inspection Report Nos. 50-220/85-11
and 50-410/85-20

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