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Mr. Hubert J. Miller, Administrator
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRC Region I
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Dear Mr. Miller:

Enclosed is a copy of the final exercise report for the May 29, 1996, full-participation Plume Exposure Pathway joint exercise of the offsite radiological emergency response plans specific to the Salem/Hope Creek Nuclear Power Station. The State of New Jersey, as well as Salem and Cumberland Counties of New Jersey participated in this exercise. The final exercise report was prepared by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Region II staff. A copy of this report will be forwarded to the State of New Jersey by FEMA Region II.

There were no Deficiencies and five Areas Requiring Corrective Action identified during the May 29, 1996, exercise. FEMA Region II staff will monitor the status of corrective actions.

Based on the results of the May 29, 1996, exercise it has been determined that the offsite radiological emergency response plans for the State of New Jersey, and the affected local jurisdictions, specific to the Salem/Hope Creek Nuclear Power Station Site, can be implemented and are adequate to provide reasonable assurance that appropriate measures can be taken offsite to protect the health and safety of the public in the event of a radiological emergency at the site.

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If there are any questions, please contact Stanley McIntosh, FEMA Region II Regional Assistance Committee Chairperson, at (212) 225-7204.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure