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Russell Lion
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SUBJECT: VENDOR INSPECTION OF TIOGA PIPE COMPANY'S QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM AND TITLE 10 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS PART 21 PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION

Dear Mr. Lion:

This letter documents the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff's plan to perform an inspection of Tioga Pipe Company to review implementation of your quality assurance program in accordance Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Part 50, Appendix B, and 10 CFR Part 21. Specifically, the quality assurance program and part 21 implementation will be reviewed as they pertain to Tioga Pipe Company's supply of American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) and non-ASME components to operating nuclear power plants. As discussed during a conference call on Monday, February 4, 2019, the NRC inspection team plans to arrive at your facility on Monday, March 25, 2019, and will conduct an inspection through Friday, March 29, 2019. Subsequent to the inspection, a report will be issued and transmitted to you via letter. The lead inspector for this effort is Mr. Yamir Diaz-Castillo; you may contact him at (301) 415-2228 or via electronic mail at Yamir.Diaz-Castillo@nrc.gov. He will be assisted by Mr. Thomas Herrity and you may contact him at (301) 415-2351 or Thomas.Herrity@nrc.gov.

This inspection activity has been assigned the following docket number: 99900879. 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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