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April 25, 1980

In Reply Refer To: Docket No. 50-192/80-01

The University of Texas
ATTN: Dr. E. F. Gloyna, Dean
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. R. Smith of this office during the period April 16-18, 1980, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License No. R-92, and to the discussion of the findings with members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Principal areas examined during the inspection are summarized in the details section of the enclosed report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

No items of noncompliance with NRC requirements were identified within the scope of this inspection.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If the report contains any information that you believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you submit a written application to this office, within 20 days of the date of this letter, requesting that such information be withheld from public disclosure. The application must include a full statement of the reasons why it is claimed that the information is proprietary. The application should be prepared so that any proprietary information identified is contained in an enclosure to the application, since the application without the enclosure will also be placed in the Public Document Room. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

April 25, 1980 we will be pleased

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The University of Texas

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

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G. L. Madsen, Chief

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Enclosure: IE Inspection Report 50-192/79-02

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