

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

PDR

October 31, 1989

Mr. Donald W. Del Core, Sr. 4 Driscoll Drive Uncasville, Connecticut 06382

Dear Mr. Del Core:

I am responding to your letter of October 10, 1989, regarding the length of time it has taken to issue a final report on the inspection conducted from July 10 to July 21, 1989, at the Millstone facility as a result of allegations raised by you and two other licensee employees. As you are now aware, the final report was issued on October 11, 1989. It is my understanding that our Region I office hand-delivered a copy of the report to you on October 13, 1989.

Given the size of the final report and the number of allegations addressed by the inspection team, I do not consider the time that has elapsed between the completion of the on-site inspection and issuance of the final report to be excessive. As with all inspection reports issued by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), the inspection team's findings were prepared in draft form and extensively reviewed by our Region I and headquarters staffs. In this case, the NRC has expended considerable effort to ensure that your concerns were appropriately addressed.

As the final report makes clear, many of your concerns have been substantiated. The allegations covered by the October 11, 1989 Inspection Report will be followed up in discussions between the licensee and our Region I staff. In the meantime, we are continuing to pursue as a separate matter the management/employees relationship issues that you have raised. The Commission appreciates your willingness to bring these issues to our attention.

Sincerely,

Kenneth M. Carr

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