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Docket/License: 50-309/DPR-36

Maine Yankee Atomic Power Company

ATTN: Mr. C. D. Frizzle

President 83 Edison Drive

Augusta, Maine 04336

Gentlemen:

Subject: Resident Inspection 50-309/89-17

This transmits the findings of the September 1-30, 1989 routine inspection of the Maine Yankee Atomic Power Plant by Messrs. C. Holden and R. Freudenberger. Those findings have been discussed with Mr. Blackmore of your staff.

The inspectors observed that the activities associated with the repair of the Number 2 Main Feedwater Regulating Valve and the investigation into the Loose Parts Monitor System indications were generally well coordinated and effectively implemented. In certain radiological controls aspects, however, we assessed your performance as adequate but not significantly exceeding the minimum requirements established by NRC regulations (see Details 6.b and 9), and as in need of your continued attention.

No reply to this letter is required. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

Jon R. Johnson, Chief Projects Branch No. 3 Division of Reactor Projects

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Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 50-309/89-17

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