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Vice President

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Gentlemen:

This refers to your September 15, 1989, letter responding to the issues outlined in our Confirmatory Action Letter dated August 15, 1989. Based upon our review of your revised monthly water usage, we have concluded sanitary sewerage disposals of iodine-125 have been below NRC limits and therefore do not constitute a violation of NRC requirements.

We have no further questions regarding your responses to the Confirmatory Action Letter or to the Notice of Violation. The actions which you described to ensure that future sanitary sewage disposals will continue to be less than 10 CFR Part 20 limits will be reviewed during a future inspection.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Regional Administrator

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