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Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a document which describes the Region III Oversight of Licensee Self-Initiated Configuration Management Programs. I believe that these licensee programs are very important, since both licensee and NRC inspections under these programs have identified significant safety findings. I am forwarding the enclosed document to you so that you will be aware of Region III's approach relative to this important subject.

If you have any questions or comments on this approach, I would be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

A. Bert Davis
Regional Administrator

Enclosure: As stated

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