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Mr. S. W. Shields
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Dear Mr. Shields:

Your letter of July 18, 1980, to Mr. Harold R. Denton, requested our confirmation of your interpretation of Evaluation Criteria J.6 of NUREG-0654/FEMA-REP-1.

Evaluation Criteria J.6 currently reads as follows:

"Each operator shall, for individuals onsite, make provisions for:

- a. Individual respiratory protection;
- b. Use of protective clothing;
- c. Use of radioprotective drugs, (e.g., individual thyroid protection)."

Your interpretation - "that this guidance was intended to apply to only those individuals on the plant staff who would remain on-site during a radiological emergency or those individuals who would be sent on-site to assist in emergency management" is correct.

We are revising the language of Evaluation Criteria J.6 to clarify this intent.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brian K. Grimes".

Brian K. Grimes, Program Director
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