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Docket No. 50-483

Unica Electric Company  
ATTN: Mr. John K. Bryan  
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the investigation conducted by Messrs. J. Foster, W. Key, and W. Hansen of this office on February 20, March 3-6, 23-27, 1981, of activities at the Callaway Nuclear Plant, Unit 1, authorized by NRC Construction Permit No. CPPR-139 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. W. H. Weber, Manager, Nuclear Construction, and others of your staff at the conclusion of the investigation.

This investigation involved a review and expansion of a previous investigation of an allegation relating to a weld in an accumulator discharge line pipe. The enclosed copy of our investigation report identifies areas examined during the investigation. Within these areas, the investigation consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in non-compliance with NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Appendix A. A written response, submitted under oath or affirmation, is required. We are also concerned regarding your Architect-Engineer's failure to disposition Nonconformance Report 2SN-0501-P. In your response to this letter, please advise us of actions you plan to take to prevent recurrence of similar errors.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter, the enclosures, and your response to this letter will be placed in the

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We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this investigation.

Sincerely,

James G. Keppler  
Director

Enclosures:

1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation
2. IE Investigation Report No. 50-483/81-04

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