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Docket No. 50-213

Connecticut Yankee Atomic Power Company ATTN: Mr. W. G. Counsil Vice President - Nuclear Engineering and Operations P. O. Box 270 Hartford, Connecticut 06101

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection 78-26

This refers to the verification tests performed during an inspection conducted by Dr. C. J. Paperiello of this office on March 13-16, 1978 at the Haddam Neck Plant of activities authorized by NRC License No. DPR-61. The results of that inspection are contained in our letter dated April 18, '---' hich includes Office of Inspection and Enforcement Inspectio t No. 50-213/78-08.

The results of certain verification tests made at the time of that inspection are included in the Office of Inspection and Enforcement Report which is enclosed with this letter. Other aspects of the inspection were previously discussed in the above referenced correspondence.

Within the scope of this inspection, no items of noncompliance were observed.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Reom. If this report contains any information that you (or your contractor) believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you make a written application within 20 days to this office to withhold such information from public disclosure. Any such application must be accompanied by an affidavit executed by the owner of the information, which identifies the document or part sought to be withheld, and which contains a statement of reasons which addresses with specificity the items which will be considered by the Commission as listed in subparagraph (b) (4) of Section 2.790. The information sought to be withheld shall be incorporated as far as possible into a separate part of the affidavit. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

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No reply to this letter is required; however, should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

George H. Smith, Chief Fuel Facility and Materials Safety Branch

Enclosure: Office of Inspection and Enforcement Inspection Report Number 78-26

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