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Docket No. 50-333Q

Power Authority of the State of New York  
James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant  
ATTN: Mr. J. D. Leonard  
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection 50-333/78-20

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. J. J. Kottan of this office on September 27-29, 1978, at the James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Station, of activities authorized by NRC License No DPR-59 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Kottan with yourself and others of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the Office of Inspection and Enforcement Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

In addition our Mobile Laboratory was also brought to your site and used by the inspector to make certain independent measurements. The basic purpose of these independent measurements is to verify your capability for analyzing radioactive effluents, and to achieve and maintain comparable methods of analyses between your facility and the NRC. The complete data from these measurements will be reported in a subsequent Inspection Report.

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 Room. 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

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