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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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Docket No. 50-312

Rancho Seco Nuclear Generating Station  
Sacramento Municipal Utility District  
14440 Twin Cities Road  
Herald, California 95638-9799

Attention: Mr. D. R. Keuter, Assistant General Manager, Nuclear

Gentlemen:

Subject: NRC INSPECTION OF RANCHO SECO NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION

This letter refers to the routine inspection conducted by Mr. W. TenBrook of this office on October 3-4, 9-11, and November 2, 1990, of activities authorized by NRC License No. DPR-54, and to the discussion of our findings held by Mr. TenBrook with Mr. M. Bua, Mr. S. Redeker, and other members of your staff on October 11, 1990, and with Mr. P. Turner on November 2, 1990.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities were not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements as discussed in Section 3 of the enclosed inspection report. The violations were not cited because the criteria specified in Section V.G.1 of the Enforcement Policy were satisfied.

Toward the end of the inspection period we received an allegation that a safety concern had been raised to management's attention but that no action was taken or planned to correct the deficiency. Our inspection confirmed that this safety matter had not been adequately addressed (Section 6).

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

*Ross A. Scarano*  
for Ross A. Scarano, Director  
Division of Radiation Safety  
and Safeguards

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