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Docket No. 50-312

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

Attention: Mr. James R. Shetler  
Deputy Assistant General Manager, Nuclear

Gentlemen:

Subject: NRC Security Inspection - Rancho Seco

This letter refers to an unannounced, routine security inspection of your activities at Rancho Seco Nuclear Generating Station as authorized under NRC license No. DPR-54. The inspection was conducted by M. Schuster of this office on December 6-8, 1993. This letter refers also to the discussion of the preliminary inspection findings held by the inspector with S. Redeker, Manager, Nuclear Operations and Security and other members of your staff on December 8, 1993.

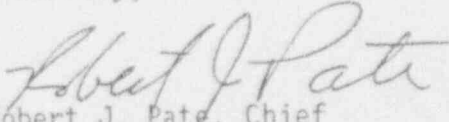
Areas examined during this inspection included activities related to physical protection as described in the enclosed inspection report. Within those areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with facility and contract personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Within the scope of the inspection, no violations were observed.

In accordance with Section 2.790(d) of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, documentation of the findings of your safeguards and security procedures are exempt from public disclosure; therefore the enclosed inspection report will not be placed in the Public Document Room and will receive limited distribution.

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

Sincerely,

  
Robert J. Pate, Chief  
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and Non-Power Reactor Branch

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Enclosure:  
Inspection Report No. :0-312/93-07

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