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Dear Mr. Schnell:

Subject: Quality Assurance Regulatory Guide 1.146 for Callaway Unit No. 1

In Revision 4 of the Callaway FSAR Site Addendum (see page 3A-10) dated August, 1982, Union Electric has proposed an exception to Regulatory Guide 1.146. This Regulatory Guide deals with qualifications of QA audit personnel. The staff evaluation of Section 2.3.1.2 of PYSI N45.2.23-1978 indicated its authors required at least two years of industrial experience before attaining a lead auditor certification. The Union Electric exception circumvents the intent of the standard. Therefore, the staff finds the exception unacceptable and requests Union Electric to provide a clear commitment to Regulatory Guide 1.146.

A response to the above is requested by October 5, 1982. If you cannot meet this date please inform us within seven days after receipt of this letter of the date you plan to submit your response. Please note that this information was provided verbally to your staff on August 17, 1982.

If you have any questions concerning the above, please contact the Callaway Project Manger, Dr. G. E. Edison.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

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