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Mr. Frank J. Congel
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Division of Radiation Protection
and Emergency Preparedness
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr. Congel:

Enclosed is a copy of the exercise report for the April 26 - 27, 1988, full-participation exercise of the offsite radiological emergency response plans, site-specific to the Yankee Rowe Nuclear Power Plant, located in Rowe, Massachusetts. Exercise participants included the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the States of Vermont, New Hampshire, and New York, and the local emergency planning zone towns. The report was prepared by Region I of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

There were four deficiencies identified during this exercise. On August 24, 1988, a remedial exercise was held, which demonstrated the correction of the four deficiencies identified during the April 26 - 27, 1988, exercise. There were also forty-three areas requiring corrective action (ARCAs) identified in the April 1988 exercise.

Based on the results of the remedial exercise held August 24, 1988, and corrective actions scheduled or already taken by the participating state and local governments, FEMA considers that offsite radiological emergency preparedness is adequate to provide reasonable assurance that appropriate measures can be taken offsite to protect the health and safety of the public living in the vicinity of the Yankee Rowe Nuclear Power Plant in the event of a radiological emergency.

If you have any questions, please contact me on 646-2871.

Sincerely,

Dennis H. Kwiatkowski
Assistant Associate Director
Office of Natural and Technological
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