UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY
1901 GRATIOT STREET
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI
August 27, 1982

DONALD F. BCHNELL VICE PREBIDENT MAILING ADDRESS: P. O. BOX 149 ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63166

Mr. Harold R. Denton Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

ULNRC-577

Dear Mr. Denton:

DOCKET NUMBER 50-483
CALLAWAY PLANT UNIT 1
FINAL SAFETY ANALYSIS REPORT
REVISED COMMITMENT FOR AUDIT OF THE CALLAWAY RADIATION
PROTECTION PROGRAM

Reference: Union Electric Letter to the NRC (ULNRC-521)
dated October 1, 1981, signed by D. F. Schnell
Union Electric Letter to the NRC (ULNRC-531)
dated December 10, 1981, signed by D. F. Schnell

This letter is being sent to inform you of a change in the designated group responsible for auditing the Callaway Radiation Protection Program. To provide continuity in the Plant's audit programs, the audit activities of the Radiation Protection Program have been placed under the jurisdiction of the Quality Assurance Department instead of Nuclear Engineering. The attachment gives the revised response from the original commitment as set forth in the referenced documents.

This revised response is hereby incorporated into the Callaway Application and will be incorporated into the next revision of the Callaway FSAR Site Addendum.

Very truly yours,

OL D. F. Schnell

DJW/lw

Attachment

13001

8209080030 820827 PDR ADDCK 05000483 PDR

Attachment

Item 260.71C Section 17.1.2.2 of the standard format (Regulatory Guide 1.70) requires the identification of safety-related structures, systems, and components controlled by the QA program. You are requested to supplement and clarify Table 3.2-1 of the Callaway FSAR in accordance with the following:

- Add the appropriate items to the table and provide a commitment that the remaining items are subject the pertinent requirements of the FSAR operational quality assurance program or justify not doing so.
- a.8 Radiation monitoring (fixed and portable)

Callaway Position:

It is Union Electric's position that items 8-16 of 260.71c(a) should not be included in Table 3.2-1, or be be subject to the requirements of the operational quality assurance program. Union Electric does feel that NUREG 0761, "Radiation Protection Plans for Nuclear Power Reactor Licensees" Draft Report March 1981, which is presently in draft form and out for comments, provides the necessary quidance in formulating the Callaway Radiation Protection Plan. The Callaway Radiation Protection Manual (CRPM) and Radiation Protection (RP) procedures together will constitute the Callaway Radiation Protection Plan (CRPP). Attachment 1 outlines the proposed CRPM. The outline lists the major areas to be addressed in the manual. It is intended that the CRPM will be a concise statement of the Callaway Radiation Protection Plan that can be understood by all plant personnel. The manual will be written in general and brief terms with the specifics of the plan to be addressed in the implementing RP procedures.

The Callaway Radiation Protection Plan will be developed in accordance with applicable regulatory requirements, regulatory guides, industry standards, and accepted industry practices, and will incorporate sufficient managerial and administrative control to ensure that a high level of radiation protection is provided. Attachment 2 outlines the implementing procedures.

These procedures have been broken down into areas as recommended by the NUREG. It is intended that administrative controls will be implemented via incorporation into administrative and programmatic level procedures which will receive Onsite Review Committee (Plant Review Group) review and approval. To verify that radiation protection functions are being performed as required and that a high level of radiological safety is maintained, periodic review and audit of the radiation protection program will be performed by the Quality Assurance Department. Periodic is to be interpreted as annual; however, when warranted by identified program deficiencies a more frequent review schedule of the deficient area may be implemented. The specifed audit frequency is based on established industry auditing practice and the assumption that an audit of annual frequency in combination with regulatory, ANI and INPO inspections will provide adequate review and evaluation of program performance. The performance of audit and review of the areas identified in item 8-16 to assure program effectiveness is consistent with the position of NUREG 0761.

Additional quality assurance for items 8-16 of 260.71c(a) are built into RP procedures utilizing quality assurance provisions from regulatory guides. An example is the respiratory protection program. Quality assurance for procurement of respiratory equipment is maintained by the purchasing of only NIOSH certified equipment. In complying with Reg. Guide 8.15, additional quality assurance is established in the respiratory protection program.

STATE OF MISSOURI)
S S
CITY OF ST. LOUIS)

Robert J. Schukai, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath says that he is General Manager-Engineering (Nuclear) for Union Electric Company; that he has read the foregoing document and knows the content thereof; that he has executed the same for and on behalf of said company with full power and authority to do so; and that the facts therein stated are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

1

Robert J. Schuka

General Mahager-Engineering

Nuclear

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 27th day of August, 1982

MARGARET S. HEIDA NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF MISSOURI ST. LOUIS COUNTY

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JANUARY 2, 1986

cc: Glenn L. Koester
Vice President
Operations
Kansas Gas & Electric
P.O. Box 208
Wichita, Kansas 67201

John E. Arthur Chief Engineer Rochester Gas & Electric Company 89 East Avenue Rochester, New York 14649

A. V. Dienhart Vice President Plant Engineering and Construction Northern States Power 414 Nicollet Mall Minneapolis, Minnesota 55401

Donald T. McPhee Vice President Kansas City Power and Light Company 1330 Baltimore Avenue Kansas City, Missouri 64141

Gerald Charnoff, Esq.
Shaw, Pittman, Potts & Trowbridge
1800 M. Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036

Nicholas A. Petrick Executive Director SNUPPS 5 Choke Cherry Road Rockville, Maryland 20850

John H. Neisler Callaway Resident Office U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission RR#1 Steedman, Missouri 65077