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Docket No. 50-146

Saxton Nuclear Experimental Corporation
ATTN: Mr. J. E. Hildebrand
President
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection Report No. 50-146/90-02

This letter refers to the special, announced safety inspection conducted by Mr. J. Roth of this office on October 15-26, 1990 at the Saxton Nuclear Experimental Corporation reactor facility in Saxton, Pennsylvania for the purpose of observing the verification survey conducted by the NRC contractor, Oak Ridge Associated Universities. This survey was conducted to verify the final release survey results that you provided to the NRC in letters dated April 26 and September 6, 1990.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and measurements and observations by the inspector.

No violations were identified and no reply to this letter is required. Preliminary results of the survey indicated that none of the buildings were contaminated in excess of about 40 percent of the guidance values provided in Regulatory Guide 1.86. On the basis of the survey results, you are commended on the actions taken to clean residual contamination from the building surfaces, which resulted in the low residual contamination levels observed during this survey.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
James H. Joyner

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Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report 50-146/90-02

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