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Docket No. 70-1257

Exxon Nuclear Company, Inc.  
Research and Technology Center  
2955 George Washington Way  
Richland, Washington 99352

Attention: Dr. R. Nilson, Manager  
Corporate Licensing and Compliance

Gentlemen:

Subject: NRC Inspection

This letter refers to the routine safeguards inspection of your activities authorized under NRC License No. SNM-1227 conducted by Mr. A. V. Wieder of this office on September 20-24, 1982. It also refers to the discussions of his inspection findings with members of your staff on September 24, 1982.

The inspection included examination of activities related to your program for the control and accounting of special nuclear material in accordance with applicable requirements of Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 70, "Domestic Licensing of Special Nuclear Material," and pertinent license conditions as described in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and records, interviews with facility personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Within the scope of this inspection, no items of noncompliance 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 control and accounting procedures for safeguarding special nuclear material are exempt from public disclosure; therefore, the enclosed inspection report will not be placed in the Public Document Room.

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

Sincerely,

Original signed by  
L. R. Norderhaug

LeRoy R. Norderhaug, Chief  
Safeguards Branch

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No. 70-1257/82-10 (IE-V-526)  
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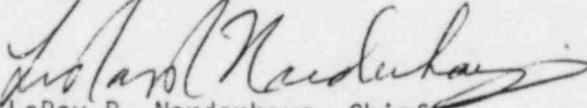
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