Docket No. 50-271

Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation ATTN: Mr. Warren P. Murphy Senior Vice President, Operations RD 5, Box 169 Ferry Road Brattleboro, Vermont 05301

Gentlemen:

Subject: NRC Inspection Report No. 50-271/90-18

This refers to the routine resident safety inspection conducted by Messrs. H. Eichenholz and T. Hiltz of this office on November 27, 1990 - January 5, 1991, at the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station, Vernon, Vermont. The results of the inspection were discussed with Mr. D. Reid at the conclusion of the inspection.

Your efforts to improve the radiological control programs have previously been noted. The reduction in the number of contaminated plant areas noted in this inspection report provides evidence that some improvement has been made. We encourage you to continue these improvements and trust that these efforts will minimize recurrent discrepancies in posting of contaminated areas and will provide improved follow-up of personnel contamination events.

We appreciate your cooperation in these matters.

Sincerely,

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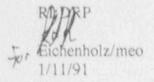
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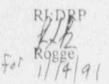
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