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Gentlemen:

This refers to our scheduled meeting on April 10, 1984, at 2:00 p.m. to discuss the NRC's Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) for the Perry Nuclear Power Plant for the period October 1, 1982 through December 30, 1983.

Mr. James G. Keppler and members of the NRC staff will present the observations and findings of the SALP Board. The more significant SALP Board findings are summarized in Enclosure 1. The enclosed SALP Report which documents the analyses, conclusions, and recommendations of the SALP Board is for your review prior to the meeting.

Since this meeting is intended to be a forum for the mutual understanding of the issues and findings, you are encouraged to have appropriate representation at the meeting. Any comments you may have regarding the SALP Report, as well as the SALP process, may be discussed at the meeting. Additionally, you may provide written comments within 20 days after the meeting.

Following our meeting and receipt of your written response, if any, the enclosed report will be issued. The letter issuing the report will provide you a characterization of your overall safety performance along with any appropriate supplemental information regarding the report.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice" Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter, the SALP Report, and your comments, if any, will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room when the SALP Report is issued.

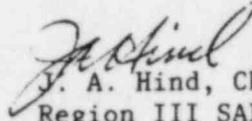
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If you have any questions concerning the SALP Report we will be happy to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,



J. A. Hind, Chairman  
Region III SALP Board  
Director, Division of Radiological  
and Materials Safety Program

Enclosures:

1. Summary of Significant Findings
2. Preliminary SALP Report

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Director, OIE  
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## ENCLOSURE 1

### Summary of SALP Findings for the Perry Nuclear Power Plant

Substantial construction activity has been underway at the Perry Nuclear Power Plant during this appraisal period. NRC inspection activity also increased substantially through the conduct of resident and regional inspections supplemented by a Construction Appraisal Team inspection. The latter effort involved approximately 2000 manhours of onsite inspection, with attention directed toward the adequacy of installed hardware at the site.

The Construction Appraisal Team found no pervasive failure to meet construction requirements. Findings of noncompliance were isolated in nature and the Team perceived a quality conscious attitude throughout the Perry project organization.

Intensive inspection effort was expended in the electrical area, an area not closely reviewed in the last SALP, and rated a Category 3 prior to that time. While several noncompliances were identified, the number is not excessive considering the depth of inspection, nor do the findings demonstrate any significant programmatic deficiencies.

Overall, one functional area is rated Category 1 and the remaining areas are rated Category 2 indicating adequate levels of management involvement and attention. No significant weaknesses were identified.