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Docket No. 50-483 - 75-04

Union Electric Company
ATTN: Mr. John K. Bryan
Vice President - Nuclear
P.O. Box 149
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the investigation conducted by Messrs. J. E. Foster and E. R. Schweibinz of this office on April 24-25, 1978, of activities at the Callaway Unit 1 construction site, authorized by Construction Permit No. CPPR-139, and to the discussion of our findings with Messrs. W. H. Weber, M. I. Doyne, and others of your staff at the conclusion of the investigation.

This investigation concerned allegations of improper construction practices and Quality Control at the Callaway Unit 1 site. The enclosed copy of our investigation report identifies areas examined during the investigation. Within these areas, the investigation consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in noncompliance with NRC requirements, as described in the enclosed Appendix A.

This notice is sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office within thirty days of your receipt of this notice a written statement or explanation in reply, including for each item of noncompliance: (1) corrective action taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective action to be taken to avoid further non-compliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved.

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 and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room, except as follows. If this report

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contains information that you or your contractors believe to be proprietary, you must apply in writing to this office, within twenty days of your receipt of this letter, to withhold such information from public disclosure. The application must include a full statement of the reasons for which the information is considered proprietary, and should be prepared so that proprietary information identified in the application is contained in an enclosure to the application.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

James G. Keppler
Director

Enclosures:

- 1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation
- 2. IE Investigation Report No. 50-483/78-04

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