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Docket No. 50-333

New York Power Authority  
James A. Fitzpatrick Nuclear Power Plant  
ATTN: Mr. Corbin A. McNeill, Jr.  
Resident Manager  
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Lycoming, New York 13093

Gentlemen:

Subject: Augmented Off-Gas Treatment System

This refers to your letter dated January 31, 1984, which provided the status of the Off-Gas System testing and repair. Status of this system is a continuing open item from the Health Physics Appraisal (Report No. 50-333/80-20).

Based on your letter and subsequent discussions between you and Mr. Doerflein, the Senior Resident Inspector, we understand that final modification and repair of the Off-Gas System will be completed during the Refueling Outage scheduled to begin in February, 1985. We further understand that the Off-Gas System will be placed in normal operation following plant start-up after this outage. Although we fully recognize the difficulties you have experienced with the operability of this system, we consider its operation to be essential to satisfying the As Low As Reasonable Achievable guidelines of Appendix I to 10 CFR Part 50.

If the above is not in accordance with your understanding, please notify this office within 60 days of receipt of this letter.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

*orig signed by*  
*for* *T. Bellamy*  
Thomas T. Martin, Director,  
Division of Engineering and  
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