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Docket No. 50-271

Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation  
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 50-271/83-22

This refers to your letter dated May 1, 1984, updating the information provided in your October 26, 1983, response to our letter dated September 30, 1983.

We concur with the revised date by which your further improved maintenance procedure (AP 0021) will be implemented. A factor influencing our concurrence is your assertion that the completed retraining of personnel and their proper implementation of the procedure as currently written would most likely prevent recurrence of violations similar to those originally cited.

We would, of course, expect QA/QC overview emphasis to be placed on this problem area during times of peak activity such as during a refueling outage.

Should it become apparent that the new target date will not be met, please inform us immediately of: 1) the reasons action was not completed as planned, 2) detailed milestones for completion of the action, and 3) how management is assuring that the subject quality affecting activities are being accomplished in an acceptable manner and the results of any such overview.

Should you have any questions, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

*Stewart D. Ebner*

Thomas T. Martin, Director  
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