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Dear Mr. Keppler:

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## COORDINATION OF WORK WITH OPERATIONS ACTIVITIES CALLAWAY PLANT

Region Inspectors have expressed concern over the level of control of work activities during fuel load and initial startup at Callaway Plant. To reduce these concerns, Union Electric feels an explanation of current operational control processes is necessary.

All work activities are initially reviewed by discipline planners within our Operations Planning & Scheduling Department who define work scope, material needs, radiation work permit requirements, procedural requirements as well as system out-of-service requirements. This organization also defines retest or surveillance requirements to restore the equipment to an operable status.

The work activity is then forwarded to schedulers within the department who review each activity in the power block for system impact, mode restraints, and safeguards requirements to maintain Limiting Conditions of Operation as prescribed by the Technical Specifications. The computerized schedule developed by the scheduling organization is updated daily by each discipline performing work activities on site. This schedule dictates the work activities in progress and those beginning each day.

Recognizing the need to coordinate work activities with the test program and other operations activities, in February we established the position of Project Schedule Shift Coordinator. Prior to each shift, the Shift Coordinator presides over a meeting

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attended by discipline supervisory personnel to review activities to be performed on that shift and any interference which could occur based on the specific work function. The Shift Coordinator also attends a Shift Test Directors Coordination Meeting to consider any interference which could impact the operations test program. Ultimately, the Shift Supervisor approves initiation of all work requests as well as equipment out-of-service requests allowing work to begin on power block systems. We expect to continue to coordinate work activities in this manner through the entire power ascension test period.

Union Electric Management feels this operational program will control work activities and assure that such activities will not affect the safe performance of fuel load and the subsequent Power Ascension Test Program.

Very truly yours,

Donald F. Schnell

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Donald F. Schnell, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath says that he is Vice President-Nuclear and an officer of Union Electric Company; that he has read the foregoing document and knows the content thereof; that he has executed the same for and on behalf of said company with full power and authority to do so; and that the facts therein stated are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Donald F. Schnell Vice President

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SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this /3th day of June, 1984

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