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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-361/95-201 AND 50-362/95-201

Dear Mr. Ray:

During the period from September 11 through 22, 1995, a team under the direction of the Special Inspection Branch of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation completed the preliminary phase of an Integrated Performance Assessment of the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3. This phase of the assessment consisted of an in-office review of the inspection record and performance history for a two year period spanning September 1993 to September 1995. The preliminary assessment identifies performance strengths and weaknesses in the areas of Safety Assessment/Corrective Action, Operations, Engineering, Maintenance, and Plant Support. The results of the preliminary assessment are summarized in the attached report and are depicted on the attached Preliminary Performance Assessment/Inspection Planning Tree.

The second phase of the assessment will consist of a two week on-site assessment scheduled to begin on October 16, 1995. During this phase of the assessment, the team will attempt to validate its preliminary conclusions as well as draw conclusions in those areas originally considered to be indeterminate. The results of the on-site assessment will be evaluated along with those of the preliminary assessment and documented in a Final Assessment Report. The final results will also be depicted on a Final Performance Assessment/Inspection Planning Tree.

This preliminary information is being provided for your information only. No response to this letter or the preliminary assessment is required. Should you have any questions concerning this preliminary assessment, or the assessment process in general, please contact the assessment team leader Mr. Jeffrey Jacobson at (301) 415-2977.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert M. Gallo".

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Enclosure: Inspection Report

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