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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-267/95-04

This refers to the inspection conducted on September 25-28, 1995, by Mr. R. J. Evans of this office and accompanied by Messrs. L. Bell, D. N. Fauver, and C. L. Pittiglio of the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the license were conducted safely and in accordance with NRC requirements. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. The inspection included a review of the final survey program and followup of previously identified technical issues. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

During the inspection, representatives from the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE) performed on-site, direct measurements of radioactivity, in part, to independently assess the reliability and validity of your organization's measurements taken during the implementation of the final survey program. The results of ORISE's investigation were not available at the end of the inspection period.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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

Sincerely,

Ross A. Scarano, Director Division of Radiation Safety

and Safeguards

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Enclosure: NRC Inspection Report

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