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SUBJECT: PLANT PERFORMANCE REVIEW (PPR) - COOPER NUCLEAR STATION

On October 3, 1995, the Regional staff completed the semiannual Plant Performance Review (PPR) of Cooper Nuclear Station. The staff conducts these reviews for all operating nuclear power plants to develop an integrated understanding of safety performance. The results are used by Regional management to facilitate planning and allocation of inspection resources. The PPR for Cooper Nuclear Station involved the participation of all technical divisions in evaluating inspection results and safety performance information for the period April through September 1995. PPRs provide Regional management with a current summary of licensee performance and serve as inputs to the NRC Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) and senior management meeting (SMM) reviews.

This letter advises you of our planned inspection effort resulting from the Cooper Nuclear Station PPR review. It is provided to minimize the resource impact on your staff and to allow for scheduling conflicts and personnel availability to be resolved in advance of inspector arrival onsite. The enclosure details our inspection plan for the next 8 months. The rationale or basis for each inspection outside the core inspection program is provided so that you are aware of the reason for emphasis in these program areas. Resident inspections are not listed due to their ongoing and continuous nature.

We will inform you of any changes to the inspection plan. If you have any questions, please contact T. Reis at (817) 860-8185.

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J. E. Dyer, Director  
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**COOPER NUCLEAR STATION  
INSPECTION PLAN**

IP - Inspection Procedure  
 TI - Temporary Instruction  
 Core Inspection - Minimum NRC Inspection Program (mandatory all plants)

INSPECTION	TITLE/ PROGRAM AREA	NUMBER OF INSPECTORS	PLANNED INSPECTION DATES	TYPE OF INSPECTION - COMMENTS
IP-73753	INSERVICE INSPECTION OBS	3	10/23-10/27/95	CORE AND REGIONAL INITIATIVE - 10 YR. ISI INTERVAL
IP-83729	OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE CONTROL	1	11/06-11/10/95	REGIONAL INITIATIVE - OUTAGE RELATED - ALARA CONCERNS IN SALP
IP-49001	EROSION/CORROSION PROGRAMS	2	11/06-11/10/95	REGIONAL INITIATIVE - OUTAGE RELATED
IP-81700	PHYSICAL SECURITY PROGRAM	1	11/27-12/1/95	CORE PROGRAM INSPECTION
IP-37550 <sup>1</sup> 64704	ENGINEERING & TECHNICAL SUPPORT/FIREPROTECTION	5	01/08-01/12/96 & 01/22-01/26/96	CORE PROGRAM INSPECTION
IP-92902	MAINTENANCE FOLLOWUP	1	02/12-02/16/96	REGIONAL INITIATIVE - REDUCE BACKLOG OF OPEN ISSUES
TI- 2515/109	MOTOR OPERATED VALVE - GL 89-10	3	05/20-05/24/96 06/03-07/96	CORE PROGRAM - SAFETY INITIATIVE CLOSEOUT

<sup>1</sup>. Contingent upon disposition of your proposal to perform self assessment.