November 21, 1995

Mr. J. Cook Vice President Clinton Power Station Mail Code V-275 P.O. Box 678 Clinton, IL 61727

Dear Mr. Cook:

The changes included in your Quality Assurance Program description submittal dated September 20, 1995, have been reviewed in accordance with 10 CFR 50.54(a). Questions resulting from this review were discussed between Mr. F. Maura of this office and Mr. W. Iliff and others of your staff during a telephone conference on November 16, 1995. As a result of these discussions, we request that you provide to us the following information:

- (a) a description of the process, including the bases, for concluding that certain procedures can be considered "Flexible Use"; and
- (b) a description of the review and approval process for future changes to "Flexible Use" procedures. Specifically, how is 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix B, Criterion VI met?

We will complete our review at that time, and you will be notified of the results.

We appreciate your responsiveness in providing information required by 10 CFR 50.54(a)(3). Please contact me at (708) 829-9751 with any questions you may have regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ F. A. Maura (for)

R. N. Gardner, Chief Engineering Branch 2

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