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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-298/95-14

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mary H. Miller and Chris E. Skinner of this office on October 1 through November 11, 1995, at the Cooper Nuclear Station facility. 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. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

Two unresolved items were identified. Your utilization of the spent fuel pool and cooling systems is discussed in Section 2.1 and the adequacy of the steam tunnel blow out panel is discussed in Section 3.7 of the enclosed report.

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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "J. E. Dyer".

J. E. Dyer, Director  
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NRC Inspection Report  
50-298/95-14

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