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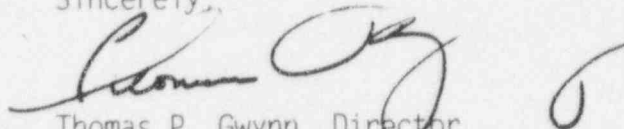
SUBJECT: OPERATIONAL QUALITY ASSURANCE MANUAL (OQAM) REVISION 18,
ANNUAL REVISION TO OQAM

We have reviewed Revision 18 of your OQAM submitted to us by your Letter ULNRC-3288, dated November 15, 1995. Specifically, this revision incorporates the changes that have been previously accepted by the NRC since the last docketed revision transmitted by Letter ULNRC-3015, dated June 7, 1994. You have concluded that this revision does not reduce the commitments previously accepted by the NRC.

Our review has determined that the proposed changes are consistent with the previously submitted and approved changes except for "INSERT A" on Page A-2a, which discusses the use of additional Union Electric employees or contract personnel to augment the unit staff. The phrase "of ANSI/ANS 3.1-1978 for equivalent positions or specified education and experience requirements . . ." was omitted from the second sentence of the insert submitted with OQAM Change Notice 94-03. In a telephone conversation on January 9, 1996, with Mr. Robert Pate of my staff, Mr. Michael Buel of Union Electric Company stated that this omission will be corrected and that OQAM Revision 18 will include a revised insert transmitted on January 9, 1996, provided in the Enclosure to this letter. The revision of "INSERT A" to include the omitted phrase makes Revision 18 consistent with previously submitted and approved changes; therefore, OQAM Revision 18 is acceptable.

Any questions you may have concerning this review should be directed to Mr. C. A. VanDenburgh of my staff at (817) 860-8161.

Sincerely,



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ENCLOSURE 1

INSERT A. Page A-2a

UE may use additional Union Electric employees or contract personnel to augment the staff. These groups include, but are not limited to, UE personnel from outside the Nuclear Division as well as supplemental HP and I&C technicians and QC inspectors. When used to perform safety-related activities, these personnel shall meet the education and experience requirements of ANSI/ANS 3.1-1978 for equivalent positions or specified education and experience for non-equivalent positions. As an alternative, these personnel can be qualified for assigned tasks either by UE through its systematic approach to training or by Vendors with UE approved training and qualification programs. Inspection, examination and testing personnel shall meet the requirements for certification as inspection, examination or testing personnel as set forth in UE's commitment to ANSI N45.2.6-1978 given elsewhere in this Appendix.