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Docket No. 50-271

Mr. Warren P. Murphy
Senior Vice President, Operations
Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation
RD 5, Box 169
Ferry Road
Brattleboro, Vermont 05301

Dear Mr. Murphy:

SUBJECT: Region I Inspection Report No. 50-271/92-07

This refers to the safety inspection intended to promote public health and safety conducted by Mr. P. Patnaik of this office from April 6-10, 1992, at the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Plant in Vernon, Vermont. Mr. Patnaik discussed the findings with the members of your staff on April 10, 1992, at the conclusion of the inspection.

This inspection included review of the non radiological water chemistry control program and the inservice inspection of the reactor coolant system during the March 1992 outage. These are important aspects of maintaining pressure boundary component integrity.

Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel and observations by the inspector. Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were observed and, therefore, no response to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
Clifford J. Anderson

Clifford J. Anderson, Acting Chief
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Division of Reactor Safety

Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 50-271/92-07

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