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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attention: Document Control Desk Washington, DC 20555

> Millstone Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 2 Improved Standard Technical Specifications

The purpose of this letter is to inform the NRC Staff of Northeast Nuclear Energy Company's (NNECO) intent to convert the Millstone Unit No. 2 Technical Specifications to Improved Standard Technical Specifications. The conversion will be based on Revision 1 to NUREG-1432, "Standard Technical Specifications, Combustion Engineering Plants."

The license amendment request for the conversion is scheduled for submittal by June 1, 1997. Since this date is not a firm date, we will inform you of any changes to this schedule.

Additionally, we intend to submit an independent license amendment request to relocate requirements of the Millstone Unit No. 2 Technical Specifications that do not meet the criteria of 10CFR50.36(c)(2)(ii) to licensee controlled documents. This license amendment request is scheduled to be submitted to the NRC by July 31, 1996.

NNECO will be contacting the NRC Project Manager for Millstone Unit No. 2 to schedule a meeting in February 1996 to present our plans, including scope and schedule.

Commitments

There are no commitments contained within this letter.

Should you have any questions regarding this submittal, please contact Mr. S. T. Day, Jr. at (860) 440-2075.

Very truly yours,

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