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Mr. Warren P. Murphy  
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Dear Mr. Murphy:

SUBJECT: 10 CFR 50.54 QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM CHANGE REVIEW

References: Letter dated April 17, 1992, from Mr. A. Shepard to the U. S. Nuclear  
Regulatory Commission transmitting Revision 22 of the Yankee Atomic  
Electric Company Operational Quality Assurance Program (YOQAP-1-A)

We received your 10 CFR 50.54(a) submittal referenced above, transmitting Revision 22 to the Yankee Atomic Electric Company Operational Quality Assurance Program (YOQAP-1-A) which is applicable to Vermont Yankee. The Region I staff has reviewed this submittal in accordance with 10 CFR 50.54(a) and determined that this reduction in commitment to the Quality Assurance Program is acceptable in that the Quality Assurance Program continues to satisfy the criteria of Appendix B of 10 CFR Part 50. If there are changes to other operative QA commitments existing in docketed correspondence outside of the QA program description, you are obligated to notify this office. Implementing such changes should be based on 10 CFR 50.54(a)(3).

The effectiveness of your Quality Assurance Program and procedure implementation will continue to be the subject of routine regional inspections.

If you have any questions concerning the above, please contact Fred Bower at (215) 337-5328 or Norm Blumberg at (215) 337-5199.

Sincerely,

*Original signed by*

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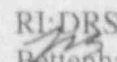
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