April 11, 1996

Mr. Ted C. Feigenbaum
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Northeast Utilities Service Company
c/o Mr. Terry L. Harpster
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SUBJECT: EXAMINATION REPORT NO. 50-336/96-02(OL)

Dear Mr. Feigenbaum:

During the week of February 19, 1996, the NRC administered initial examinations to four senior reactor operator (SRO) candidates from your company who were applying for licenses to operate the Millstone Nuclear Power Station, Unit 2 (MP2). These examinations addressed areas important to public health and safety and were administered under Revision 7 to the Examiner Standards (NUREG-1021). In addition, the examination process was conducted under the guidance of Generic Letter 95-06, "Changes in the Operator Licensing Program, " which provided the opportunity for facilities to develop and, in part, conduct initial licensing examinations with NRC oversight. For this examination, MP2 personnel developed all segments of the examination, while the NRC provided oversight and final approval prior to the administration of the examination. MP2 training personnel subsequently administered the NRCapproved written examination, while the operating examinations were administered by the NRC. Based upon the satisfactory pilot examination process, we believe that Millstone 2 had effectively applied the lessons learned from the pilot examination at Millstone 3 to this exam.

At the conclusion of the examinations, general findings and observations that evolved during the examination were discussed with Mr. Haynes and other members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Based on the results of the examinations, all four candidates passed all portions of the examination and were subsequently granted licenses.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

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No reply to this letter is required, but should you have any questions regarding this examination, please contact me at 610-337-5211.

Sincerely,

(original signed by)

Glenn W. Meyer, Chief Operator Licensing and Human Performance Branch Division of Reactor Safety

Docket No. 50-336

Enclosure: Examination Report No. 50-336/96-02(OL)

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