GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY PROJECT 1555 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Suite 202 (202) 232-8550 Washington, D.C. 20036 October 17, 1984 Harold Denton, Director Nuclear Reactor Regulation U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555 Re: Callaway Nuclear Power Plant, Unit 1 Authorized by NRC Operating License No. NFP-25 Dear Mr. Denton: It is our understanding that on October 16, 1984 the NRC Regional Administrator for Region III made a final recommendation to your office that the Callaway Nuclear Power Plant be granted its full power operating license. This recommendation was made after his insufficient consideration of the 2.206 petition filed by GAP on October 2, 1984 which contained 48 safety related and cost overrun allegations. Mr. Keppler has evidentally concluded from the allegations as generally stated in the petition that there was nothing which would preclude the full operation of the Callaway Nuclear Power Plant. This conclusion was based on the petition alone and not on other available substantiating evidence. This hasty action on the part of the Regional Administrator clearly reflects an indifferent attitude towards the concerns of those workers who have made allegations of safety significance. In addition, this action falls far short of a good faith effort to execute an effective quality assurance program within the NRC. If and when the full power operating license for the Callaway Nuclear Power Plant is granted, please give us 14 days notice to consider and pursue our other legal remedies. Sincerely, Billie P. Garde Citizens Clinic Director

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