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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-160/96-01

Dear Dr. Karam:

This refers to the inspection conducted by C. Bassett of this office on January 17 and 18, 24 and 25, 29 and 30, February 5-7, 9, 15-18, and March 15, 1996. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Georgia Institute of Technology Research Reactor (GTRR). At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the license were conducted safely and in accordance in NRC requirements.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations or deviations were identified.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely, (original signed by T. R. Decker)

Edward J. McAlpine, Chief Fuel Facilities Branch Division of Nuclear Materials Safety

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