

Docket No. 50-73

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General Electric Company  
Vallecitos Nuclear Center  
P. O. Box 460  
Pleasanton, California 94566

Attention: Mr. R. W. Darmitzel, Manager  
Irradiation Processing Operations

Gentlemen:

This letter refers to an unannounced routine safeguards inspection of your activities authorized by NRC License Number R-33 conducted by Mr. A. D. McQueen of this office on April 8-9, 1985. It also refers to the discussions of our inspection findings held by the inspector with yourself and members of the Vallecito's Nuclear Center staff on April 9, 1985.

Areas examined during the inspection included examination of activities related to physical protection as described in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and records, interviews with facility and contractor personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Within the scope of this inspection, no items of noncompliance were observed.

In accordance with Section 2.790(d) of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, documentation of the findings of your safeguards and security measures are exempt from public disclosure; therefore, the enclosed inspection report will not be placed in the Public Document Room and will receive limited distribution.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we would be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original signed by  
James L. Montgomery, Chief  
Nuclear Materials Safety and  
Safeguards Branch

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