March 4, 1997

Dr. George E. Dieter, Dean College of Engineering University of Maryland Engineering Classroom Building Room 1137D College Park, MD 20742

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-166/97-01

Dear Dr. Dieter:

On January 16, 1997, the NRC completed a 4-day safety inspection at the Maryland University Training Reactor. The enclosed report represents the results of that inspection.

No noncompliances or significant safety issues were identified. No reply is required.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

John R. White, Chief Radiation Safety Branch Division of Reactor Safety

Original Signed

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