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Docket No. 50-461

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation ATTN: Dr. W. R. Butler, Chief Licensing Branch No. 2 Division of Licensing U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

Subject:

Clinton Power Station Inspection of Instrument Tubing Hanger Supports

Dear Dr. Butler:

In response to a question from members of your staff, the instrument tubing hanger supports have been independently inspected as part of Illinois Power's Overinspection Program. After the instrument tubing supports were constructed and inspected by Quality Control (QC), the Baldwin Associates' Field Verification Group independently reinspected (visually) approximately 57% of the instrument tubing supports. In addition, the Illinois Power Overinspection Group independently reinspected (visually) approximately 9% of the subject supports. The results of these reinspections have been evaluated by Sargent & Lundy, and they determined that there were no safety significant problems. The results were provided to Region III, and as a result, the Overinspection program for these hangers has been terminated with the Region's concurrence.

If you need any additional information, please advise.

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cc: B. L. Siegel, NRC Clinton Licensing Project Manager NRC Resident Office Regional Administrator, Region III, USNRC Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety

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