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Docket No. 99900637/78-02

State of California
Division of Industrial Safety
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the audit conducted by Mr. D. E. Whitesell, of this office on September 12-13, 1978, covering selected activities associated with your administration of the ASME Code Inspection System.

The areas audited and our findings are discussed in the enclosed audit report. The audit consisted of an examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with the Authorized Nuclear Inspector and observations by the NRC representative.

This audit was conducted concurrently with our inspection of Ametek - Straza Division facility at El Cajon, California.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the Commission's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter together with the enclosed report, will be placed in the Commission's Public Document Room located at 1717 H. Street, Washington, D. C. If this report contains any information that you believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you make a written application within thirty (30) days to this office to withhold such information from public disclosure. Any such application must include a full statement of the reasons on the basis of which it is claimed that the information is proprietary, and should be prepared so that proprietary information identified in the application is contained in a separate part of the document. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

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Should you have any questions concerning this audit, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Uldis Potapovs, Chief Vendor Inspection Branch

Enclosure: Audit Report No. 99900637/78-02