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Docket No. 50-271

License No. DPR-28

Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation
ATTN: Mr. Warren P. Murphy
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 50-271/87-20

This refers to the routine safeguards inspection conducted by Mr. G. Smith of this office on October 26-29, 1987 at Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station, Vernon, Vermont, of activities authorized by NRC License No. DPR-28 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Smith and Mr. J. Pelletier and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspectors.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were observed.

Sections of the enclosed inspection report contain details of your security program that have been determined to be exempt from public disclosure in accordance with 10 CFR 73.21 (Safeguards Information). Therefore, the sections so identified will not be placed in the NRC Public Document Room and will receive limited distribution. This letter and the remainder of the inspection report will be placed in the Public Document Room, in accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a).

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
James H. Joiner

Thomas T. Martin, Director
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and Safeguards

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Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 50-271/87-20 (Contains Safeguards Information (SGI) in Paragraphs 11, 12 and Attachment 1)

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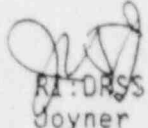
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