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Texas A&M University ATTN: Dr. Herbert H. Richardson, Director Texas Engineering Experiment Station College Station, Texas 77843

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. R. B. Vickrey and R. Evans of this office during the period April 5-7, 1988, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License R-83 for the Texas A&M University, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. D. E. Feltz, and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included review and audit, experiments, procedures, organization, logs and records, plant status, requalification program, surveillance, and site tour. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the NRC inspectors. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

Within the scope of the inspection, no violations or deviations were identified.

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

Sincerely,

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L. J. Callan, Director Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosure: Appendix - NRC Inspection Report 50-128/88-02

cc w/enclosures: M. E. McLain Radiation Safety Officer Texas A&M University College Station, Texas 77843

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