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Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation ATTN: Mr. Warren P. Murphy Vice President and Manager of Operations RD 5, Box 169 Ferry Road Brattleboro, Vermont 05301

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Subject: Inspection Report No. 50-271/88-13

A routine safety inspection of your annual emergency preparedness exercise was conducted by Mr. Christopher of this office, and other members of an NRC team, on August 30 to September 1, 1988, at the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station, Brattleboro, Vermont. Discussions of our findings were presented by Mr. Christopher to you and others of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection included observation of the annual exercise and follow-up of findings identified during previous emergency preparedness inspections and exercises as described in the NRC Region I inspection report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel and observation of the emergency exercise by team members.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were observed. It was determined that your emergency response actions were adequate to provide protective measures for the health and safety of the public.

No reply to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely

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Ronald R. Bellamy, Chief Facilities Radiation Safety and Safeguards Branch

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Enclosure: NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 50-271/88-13

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