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Millstone Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 3
Readiness for the
Independent Corrective Action Implementation Inspection

Northeast Nuclear Energy Company (NNECO) committed, in a November 5, 1997 letter, to notify the NRC when ready for the performance of the ICAVP Corrective Action Implementation Inspection of Millstone Unit No. 3. We have projected our readiness for this inspection to be February 23, 1998. We continue to work on various corrective action plans developed from Discrepancy Reports issued by the ICAVP Contractor. We expect to have corrective action plans developed for nearly all DRs received from S&L, but the corrective actions may not be complete at the time the inspection begins. An Inspection Response Team has been established to work with your Staff under the direction of Mr. Raymond Necci, Director, Configuration Management.

If there are any further questions on the information provided in this letter, please contact Mr. Richard T. Laudenat at (860) 444-5248.

Very truly yours,

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