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March 5, 1998

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION NO. 70-1201/98-201

Dear Mr. Matheson:

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At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with members of your staff. Within the scope of the inspection, and four inspector followup items were identified. Three violations and three inspector followup items from previous inspections were closed.

Under the provisions of Section 2.790(d), reports containing information related to a licensee's MC&A program are exempt from public disclosure. Accordingly, the enclosure will not be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact me.

Sincerely, Original signed by Philip Ting
Philip Ting, Chief
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Division of Fuel Cycle Safety
and Safeguards, NMSS

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