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Docket No. 40-3392

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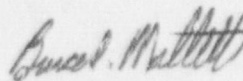
Gentlemen:

This is in response to the August 29, 1989 letter from Mr. Bishop to Mr. Charles E. Norelius of the NRC Region III office. Mr. Bishop's letter has been referred to me for response. The letter requests a 30 day extension of your response time to the NRC inspection report for the team inspection conducted May 1989 (Inspection Report No. 40-3392/89001).

As discussed in a telephone conversation between Mr. J. E. Honey of Allied-Signal and me on September 7, 1989, I hereby grant extension of the response time until October 13, 1989.

I will gladly discuss any questions you have further concerning this matter. My telephone number is (312) 790-5612.

Sincerely,



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