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REGION IV

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Garry L. Randolph, Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer Union Electric Company P.O. Box 620 Fulton, Missouri 65251

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-483/98-07 AND NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Dear Mr. Randolph:

From April 27 through May 1, 1998, a radiation protection inspection which focused on the refueling outage activities was conducted at your Callaway Plant reactor facility. The enclosed report presents the scope and results of that inspection.

The inspection identified four violations of NRC requirements. The violations are cited in the enclosed Notice of Violation and the circumstances surrounding them are described in detail in the subject inspection report. The violations involved failure to: (1) conspicuously post a High Radiation Area, (2) understand the work area radiological conditions and radiation work permit restrictions/limitations, (3) label radioactive containers/packages, and (4) post two airborne radioactivity areas.

These violations are cited in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice) and the circumstances surrounding the violations are described in detail in the enclosed report. Please note that you are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. The NRC will use your response, in part, to determine whether further enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with regulatory requirements.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter, its enclosure(s), and your response will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR).

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

Sincerely.

Blaine Murray, Chief Plant Support Branch

Division of Reactor Safety

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## Enclosures:

- 1. Notice of Violation
- NRC Inspection Report 50-483/98-07

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