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March 13, 2024

Mr. Kevin Falcon
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SUBJECT: VENDOR INSPECTION OF ASCO L.P.'S QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM
AND TITLE 10 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS PART 21
PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION

Dear Mr. Falcon:

This letter documents the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff's plan to perform an inspection of ASCO L.P.'s Appendix B, "Quality Assurance Program Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants and Reprocessing Plants," to Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Part 50, "Domestic Licensing of Production and Utilization Facilities," quality program and 10 CFR Part 21, "Reporting of Defects and Noncompliance," program as they pertain to activities conducted at your facility related to the supply of safety-related solenoid valves, temperature and pressure switches; hydramotors, refurbishment/repairs, and spare parts to operating domestic nuclear power plants. As discussed via a telephone call on Tuesday March 12, 2024, the NRC inspection team plans to arrive at your facility on Monday, May 6, 2024, and will conduct an inspection through Friday, May 10, 2024. After the inspection, a report will be issued and transmitted to you via letter.

The lead inspectors for this effort are Mr. Michael Fitzgerald (in training) and Yamir Diaz-Castillo; you may contact them at (301) 415-0420 and (301) 415-2228 or via electronic mail at Michael.Fitzgerald@nrc.gov and Yamir.Diaz-Castillo@nrc.gov, respectively.

The following docket number has been assigned to your facility: 99901054. Please reference this number on any correspondence sent to the NRC.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kerri Kavanagh".

Signed by Kavanagh, Kerri
on 03/13/24

Kerri Kavanagh, Chief
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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