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Subject: Clinton Power Station Quality Assurance Program Description Change

Dear Madam or Sir:

Enclosed is Revision 27 of the Clinton Power Station (CPS) Quality Assurance Manual. Also enclosed for this revision are a matrix that lists the changes and the rationale for the changes, and an evaluation performed to determine if any changes reduce commitments in accordance with the provisions of 10CFR50.54(a)(3). To facilitate NRC review of the manual, also enclosed is a color-coded copy of the quality assurance manual identifying information that is changed from Revision 26 information. The blue-colored text designates information deleted from the manual, the red-colored text designates new information added to the manual, and the black-colored text designates information that has not changed. Revision 27 of the manual brings the CPS quality assurance program description up to date as of September 15, 1999.

The changes contained in Revision 27 of the manual have been reviewed and approved in accordance with Clinton Power Station procedures. The review concluded that none of the changes affect the authority, independence, and management reporting levels previously established for organizations performing quality assurance functions and none of the changes reduce commitments in the quality assurance program description previously accepted by the NRC. The CPS quality assurance program continues to meet the requirements of 10CFR50, Appendix B.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed information please contact Mr. D. V. Basham at (217) 935-8881, extension 3144.

Sincerely yours,

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