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Gentlemen:

In accordance with Letter PY-CEI/NRR-1092L dated November 1, 1989, the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (CEICO) established a more stringent urine specimen temperature range than was required by 10CFR 26, Fitness For Duty Programs, Appendix A, Section 2.4(g)(14). Specifically, current implementing procedures delineate that urine specimens be provided within a temperature range of  $34.4^{\circ} - 37^{\circ}\text{C}$  /  $94^{\circ} - 98.6^{\circ}\text{F}$ . However, problems have been encountered with the current testing methodology; there have been no concerns of specimen adulteration with respect to temperature ranges. Therefore, CEICO is changing 10CFR 26 implementing procedures to test urine specimens in accordance with the temperature range delineated in 10CFR 26 ( $32.5^{\circ} - 37.7^{\circ}\text{C}$  /  $90.5^{\circ} - 99.8^{\circ}\text{F}$ ).

If you have questions or require additional information, please contact Mr. James D. Kloosterman, Manager - Regulatory Affairs at (216) 280-5833.

Very truly yours,

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