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Mr. Frank J. Congel, Director
Division of Radiation Protection
and Emergency Preparedness
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Congel:

Enclosed is a copy of the final drill report for the May 9, 1992, Kiona-Benton Emergency Worker/Assistance Center Drill. The State of Washington, Benton and Franklin Counties in Washington, and the Benton and Franklin Counties Chapter of the American Red Cross (ARC) participated in the drill. The drill report was prepared in August 1992 by the Region X staff of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The FEMA Region X staff will forward a copy of the report to the State of Washington.

The purpose of the drill was to evaluate the capability of the Washington State Department of Health, the Benton and Franklin Counties Emergency Operations Center, and the ARC to respond to a radiological incident at the WNP-2 Nuclear Power Plant which would require the activation of the designated emergency worker/assistance center.

No Deficiencies were identified during the drill. Seven Areas Requiring Corrective Action (ARCA) and four Plan Issues were identified during the exercise. FEMA's Region X staff will monitor the status of corrective actions relative to these ARCAs and Plan Issues.

If you should have any questions, please contact Mr. Craig S. Wingo, Chief, Radiological Preparedness Division, at (202) 646-3026.

Sincerely,

Craig S. Wingo
for
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Assistant Associate Director
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