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Docket No. 50-305

Wisconsin Public Service
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ATTN: Mr. D. C. Hintz
Manager

Nuclear Power
Post Office Box 19002
Green Bay, WI 54307-9002

Gentlemen:

This refers to the routine safeguards inspection conducted by Messrs. T. J. Madaea and J. R. Kniceley of this office on April 8-11, 1985, of activities at the Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant authorized by NRC Operating License No. DPR-43 and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. C. Steinhardt and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The enclosed copy of our inspection report identifies areas examined during the inspection. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

During this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in non-compliance with NRC requirements, as described in the enclosed Appendix. The inspection showed that action had been taken to correct the identified noncompliance and to prevent recurrence. Consequently, no reply to this noncompliance is required and we have no further questions regarding this matter at this time.

In addition, we request that you respond in writing within 30 days of the date of this letter to our concern (positive control to vital areas) identified in Section 6 of this report. Your response should describe your actions taken or planned to address the concern. The response should be submitted as a separate enclosure to your transmittal letter in the manner prescribed.

Areas examined during this inspection concern a subject matter which is exempt from disclosure according to Section 73.21(c)(2) of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 73, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. This information must be handled and protected in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 73.21. Consequently, the enclosure to this letter, our report of

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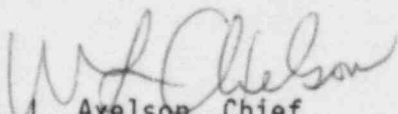
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this inspection, and your response to the concern identified in this letter will not be placed in the Public Document Room. Therefore, your statement of action regarding the concern identified in the report of this inspection should be submitted as a separate enclosure to your transmittal letter in the manner prescribed.

The responses directed by this letter (and the accompanying Notice) are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,


W. L. Axelson, Chief
Materials and Safeguards Branch

Enclosures:

1. Appendix, Notice
of Violation
2. Inspection Report
No. 50-305/85004(DRSS)
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