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Docket No. 50-423
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Re: 10CFR 50.73(a)(2)(i)

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Millstone Nuclear Power Station Unit 3
Licensee Event Report 96-043-00
Submitted Pursuant to 10CFR 50.73(a)(2)(i)

This letter forwards Licensee Event Report 96-043-00, documenting a condition that was determined at Millstone Unit No. 3 on November 7, 1996. This LER is submitted pursuant to 10CFR 50.73(a)(2)(i). NNECO's commitments in response to this event are contained within Attachment 1 to this letter.

Should you have any questions regarding this submittal, please contact Mr. James M. Peschel at (860) 437-5840.

Very truly yours,

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Attachment: 1) NNECO's commitments in response to LER 96-043-00
2) LER 96-043-00

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Attachment 1

Millstone Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 3
NNECO's Commitments
In Response To
(LER 96-043-00)

November 1996

Enclosure
List of Regulatory Commitments

The following table identifies those actions committed to by NNECO in this document. Any other actions discussed in the submittal represent intended or planned actions by NNECO. They are described to the NRC for the NRC's information and are not regulatory commitments. Please notify the Manager - Nuclear Licensing at the Millstone Nuclear Power Station Unit No. 3 of any questions regarding this document or any associated regulatory commitments.

Number	Commitment	Due
B16024-01	A briefing will be provided to each shift concerning the circumstances and corrective actions surrounding this event.	February 28, 1997
B16024-02	Operating procedures will be revised to include guidance for inoperable liquid effluent radiation monitors, to clarify notes on flushing piping between discharges, and on opening the discharge isolation valve.	January 31, 1997
B16024-03	Training will be developed to provide the details and corrective actions to clarify Technical Specification applicability and the root causes behind this event. This training will be provided for Operations Department personnel.	January 31, 1997
B16024-04	The inoperability of the Radioactive Liquid Effluent Discharge Monitor (3LWS-RE70) will be included in the next Annual Radioactive Effluent Report.	May 1, 1997