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Mr. Dean Tagliaferro U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1 EPA New England (MC HBO) One Congress Street, Suite 1100 Boston, MA 02114-2023

RE: "Final Completion Report for the 30s Complex Removal Action," dated March 2005, at

the GE-Pittsfield/Housatonic River Site

Dear Mr. Tagliaferro:

The General Electric Company (GE) submitted, by cover letter dated March 18, 2005, the "Final Completion Report for the 30s Complex Removal Action" to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), with copy to the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), pursuant to Paragraph 88.a of the Consent Decree for the GE-Pittsfield/Housatonic River Site. The Post Removal Site Control Plan for the 30s Complex was included as Attachment A to this document.

DEP has been provided the opportunity to review and comment on all aspects of the investigations related to the Final Completion Report and concurs with EPA that the 30s Complex Removal Action, excluding Post-Removal Site Control Activities, has been performed in accordance with the Consent Decree and that the Performance Standards for the 30s Complex Removal Action have been achieved.

Should you have any questions, please contact me or Susan Steenstrup at (413) 755-2264.

Sincerely,

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