

June 25, 2002
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OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Dominion Nuclear Connecticut, Inc. (EA-02-014)
Millstone Power Station
Docket No. 050-00245

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTY - \$288,000

By Memorandum dated June 18, 2002, the EDO informed the Commission of the intent to issue a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty in the amount of \$288,000 to Dominion Nuclear Connecticut, Inc. This action is based on a Severity Level II violation involving a failure to: (1) keep adequate records, (2) establish adequate procedures for control and accounting of SNM, and (3) conduct adequate physical inventories of special nuclear material resulting in the failure to adequately account for special nuclear material contained within two irradiated fuel rods. Accordingly, the Notice of Violation and Proposed Civil Penalty in the amount of \$288,000 is being issued today.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice	June 25, 2002
Telephone Notification of Licensee	June 25, 2002

The States of Connecticut, California, South Carolina, and Washington will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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