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SUBJECT: OYSTER CREEK GENERATING STATION - NRC LICENSE RENEWAL
FOLLOW-UP INSPECTION REPORT 05000219/2008007

Dear Mr. Pardee

On December 23, 2008, the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed an inspection at your Oyster Creek Generating Station. The enclosed report documents the inspection results, which were discussed on December 23, 2008, with Mr. T. Rausch, Site Vice President, Mr. M. Gallagher, Vice President License Renewal, and other members of your staff.

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The inspectors reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel. **First, the** inspection examined activities conducted under your current license as they relate to safety and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations. This portion of the inspection focused on the inservice inspection of the drywell containment. Based on the results of the NRC's inspection, the NRC determined there were no safety significant conditions affecting current operations.

Second, this inspection was **also** conducted using the guidance of Inspection Procedure (IP) 71003 "Post-Approval Site Inspection for License Renewal" as a prudent measure to observe Oyster Creek license renewal activities during the last planned refueling outage prior to entering the period of extended operation. **The license renewal application had a hearing associated with it and the matter is before the Commission in appeal.** Because a renewed license has not been issued, the proposed license conditions and associated **regulatory** commitments, made as a part of the license renewal application, are not in effect. **Accordingly,** the enclosed report records the inspector's observations **only.**

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Sincerely,

Darrell Roberts, Director
Division of Reactor Safety

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