

APPENDIX A  
NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation  
Nine Mile Point Unit 2

Docket No. 50-410  
License No. NPF-54

During an NRC inspection conducted on June 15-19, 1992, a violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions", 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (1992), the violation is listed below:

Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 50.36 requires, in part, that licensees operate their facilities in accordance with plant Technical Specifications. Plant Technical Specification 6.11 requires in part that procedures for radiation protection be established and adhered to for all operations involving personnel radiation exposure. The licensee's radiation safety manual requires, in part, that workers who enter a radiation controlled area utilizing a Radiation Work Permit (RWP) must comply with all provisions of the RWP. RWP 925052, established for work to be conducted on the refueling floor and reactor cavity on May 19, 1992 required in part that Radiation Protection be notified prior to any wire brushing, and that workers entering the reactor cavity utilize two sets of Protective Clothing and a full face respirator.

Contrary to the above, on May 19, 1992 contractor workers performed wire brushing in the reactor cavity, at the direction of a contractor supervisor, without first informing Radiation Protection, and without wearing the double set of Protective Clothing required by the RWP for entry to this area.

This is a Severity Level IV violation.

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555 with a copy to the Regional Administrator, Region I, and a copy to the NRC Resident Inspector at the facility that is the subject of this Notice, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order may be issued to show cause why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

Dated at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania  
this 25<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1992

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