

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Florida Power & Light Company  
St. Lucie 1 and 2

Docket Nos. 50-335 and 50-389  
License Nos. DPR-67 and NPF-16  
EA 96-260

During an NRC inspection conducted on July 7 through August 3, 1996, a violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," (60 FR 34381; June 30, 1995), the violation is listed below:

- A. 10 CFR 50, Appendix B, Criterion XI, requires, in part, that a test program shall be established to assure that all testing required to demonstrate that systems and components will perform satisfactorily in service is identified and performed in accordance with written test procedures. Test procedures shall include provisions for assuring that the test is performed under suitable environmental conditions.

Contrary to the above, Administrative Procedures, AP-1-0010125A, revision 39, for Unit 1 and AP-2-0010125A, revision 43, for Unit 2, did not ensure that the procedures were performed under suitable environmental conditions. Specifically, the two aforementioned procedures directed that valves 1-FCV-07-1A, 1-FCV-07-1B, 2-FCV-07-1A, and 2-FCV-07-1B be lubricated prior to being tested. This practice negated the ability to assess the operational readiness of the valves.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement I).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, the Florida Power & Light Company 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 II, 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. Your response may reference or include previous docketed correspondence, if the correspondence adequately addresses the required response. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order or a Demand for Information may be issued as to 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.

Because your response will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room (PDR), to the extent possible, it should not include any personal privacy, proprietary,

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or safeguards information so that it can be placed in the PDR without redaction. However, if you find it necessary to include such information, you should clearly indicate the specific information that you desire not to be placed in the PDR, and provide the legal basis to support your request for withholding the information from the public.

Dated at Atlanta, Georgia  
this 31st day of August 1996.

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