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November 7, 1994

Dr. Robert C. Mecredy
Vice President, Ginna Nuclear Production
Rochester Gas and Electric Company
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Rochester, NY 14649

SUBJECT: NRC EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS INSPECTION NO. 50-244/94-21

Dear Dr. Mecredy:

This letter forwards the report of the subject announced inspection conducted by Messrs. David Silk and Jeff Laughlin and Ms. Felicia Lopresti of this office on October 3 through October 6, 1994, at the R. E. Ginna Nuclear Power Station. Preliminary inspection findings were discussed with Mr. Rick Watts of your staff on October 6, 1994, by Mr. Silk.

Areas examined during this inspection are important to public health and safety and are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report that is enclosed with this letter. Within those areas, the inspection consisted of observations by the inspectors, interviews of personnel, and examinations of selected procedures and records.

Overall, the inspectors found the EP program to be in a good state of readiness and had no safety concerns. However, two apparent violations were identified. One violation dealt with failing to perform quarterly emergency siren growl tests, during two consecutive quarters, as specified in your Nuclear Emergency Response Plan (NERP). Upon discovery by the inspectors, your staff promptly initiated action to correct the violation. The testing was reportedly completed on October 7, 1994 and all of the sirens functioned properly. The second violation was for failing to submit changes to the NERP to NRC Region I as required in 10 CFR 50.54(q). Relative to these apparent violations, you are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken, and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence.

The response directed by this letter and the enclosed Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, Pub. L. No. 96:511.

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

**Original Signed By:
James H. Joyner**

James H. Joyner, Chief
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Docket No. 50-244

Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation
2. NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 50-244/94-21

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