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SUBJECT: Forwards Insp Repts 50-220/87-21 & 50-410/87-39 on  
 871005-30. Violations noted will be discussed at enforcement  
 conference. Concerns re frequency of violations & actions of  
 site operations review committee noted.

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Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection 50-220/87-21 and 50-410/87-39

This letter transmits the results of the routine inspection conducted by Messrs. W. Cook, C. Marschall and W. Schmidt of this office on October 5 - October 30, 1987, at Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2, Scriba, New York. A summary of the findings was presented to Mr. T. Perkins and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The enclosed report identifies several apparent violations identified during NRC review of the circumstances leading to the initiation of Nonconformance Reports for improperly dispositioned Inservice Inspection Deficiency/Corrective Action (DCA) reports. This information indicates a continuing trend of failure of your staff to properly inform management personnel of problems and a failure of your management to pursue resolution when they are informed. We intend to schedule an Enforcement Conference to discuss these matters and will contact you to arrange a mutually agreeable time and date.

In addition, the enclosed report describes 1) concerns related to the adequacy of the Site Operations Review Committee (SORC), (see Details 1.1.b and 7.2), and 2) several additional violations of Technical Specifications which your staff identified. We are concerned about the frequency of these violations and the actions of the SORC. Accordingly, you should also be prepared to discuss these issues at the Enforcement Conference.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

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50-220/87-21 and 50-410/87-39

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