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April 17, 1989  
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OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT  
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Public Service Electric & Gas Company (EA 88-238)  
(Salem Units 1 and 2)  
Docket Nos. 50-272 and 50-311

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTY - \$50,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty in the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) will be issued on or about April 21, 1989 to Public Service Electric & Gas Company. This action is based on a violation of the equipment qualification requirements of 10 CFR 50.49. In accordance with the "Modified Enforcement Policy Relating to 10 CFR 50.49," contained in Generic Letter 88-07, the violation has been categorized as a Category C violation. The mitigation and escalation factors of the modified enforcement policy were considered and because of the licensee's identification of the problems and corrective actions the minimum civil penalty set forth in the policy is proposed in this case.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice April 21, 1989  
Telephone Notification of Licensee April 21, 1989

The State of New Jersey will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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