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Gentlemen:

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF FITNESS FOR DUTY (FFD) PERFORMANCE DATA SALEM AND HOPE CREEK GENERATING STATIONS DOCKET NOS. 50-272, 50-311, AND 50-354

In accordance with the requirements of 10CFR26.71(d), Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G), hereby forwards the attached FFD Performance Data Report for the six month period ending December 31, 1996.

Should you have any further questions regarding this report, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

D. R. Powell

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Attachment

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The power is in your hands.

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Fitness for Duty Program Performance Data Personnel Subject to 10CFR26

Public Servi	ce Electric & Gas		D	ecember 31,	1996
	Company		6	Months Endi	ing
Hancock's E	Bridge, NJ 08038				
	Location				
Ronald J. M	ack, M.D./Stuart I	R. Solomon, D.O.		09)339-5600)
	Contact Name		Pl	hone (include	e area code)
Cutoffs: Sc	reen/Confirmatior	n (ng/ml)	A	opendix to 10	OCFR 26
Marijuana	50/15	Amphetamines	1000/500	N/A	1
Cocaine	300/150	Phencyclidine	25/25	N/A	1
Opiates	300/300	Alcohol (%BAC)	0.04%	N/A	1

		_	Long-Term		Short-Term			
Testing Results	Licensee Em	nployees	Contractor	Personnel	Contractor F	Contractor Personnel		
Average Number with								
Unescorted Access	2,375		1,001		1,037	1,037		
Categories	# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive		
Pre-Access	198	4	17	0	1,433	18		
For Cause:			_ .					
Post Accident	7	0	0	0	16	1		
Observed Behavior	11	0	2	0	29	4		
Random	693	4	69	0	477	2		
Follow-up	11	1	0	0	0	0		
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total	920	9	88	0	1,955	25		

Breakdown of Confirmed Positive Tests for Specific Substances

				Amphe-	Phency-	*	Refusal to						
	Marijuana	Cocaine	Opiates	tamines	clidine	Alcohol	Test	1	2	3	4	5	
Licensee Employees	4	3	0	0	0	1/0	0 _						
Long-Term Contractors	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0						
Short-Term Contractors	8	11	0	1	0	6/2	0						A
Total	12	14	0	1	0	9	0						*36

* KEY

X/Y

X=NRC Cutoff

Y=PSE&G Cutoff

	NRC	PSE&G
Alcohol	0.04%	0.02%

*34 individuals 36 substances

2 individuals positive for 2 substances

PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC & GAS COMPANY NUCLEAR DEPARTMENT / MEDICAL FITNESS-FOR-DUTY STATISTICS REPORT

FOR PERIOD: 07/01/96 THRU 12/31/96

		PERMAN	ENT EMPLOYEES	5		HORT-T	ERM CC	NTRACTO	RS	L	ONG-TE	RM CONTRACTOR	S
CTGRY	SCHED	TEST	POS % TEST	% POS	SCHED	TEST	POS	% TEST	% POS	SCHED	TEST	POS % TEST	% POS
PRE-EMPLOYMENT	61	61	0 100.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0 0.00	0.00
PRE-BADGING	137	137	4 100.00	2.91	1433	1433	18	100.00	1.25	17	17	0 100.00	0.00
PERIODIC	0	0	0 0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0 0.00	0.00
FOR CAUSE	18	18	0 100.00	0.00	45	45	5	100.00	11.11	2	2	0 100.00	0.00
POST ACCIDENT	0	0	0 0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0 0.00	0.00
RANDOM	693	693	4 100.00	0.57	477	477	2	100.00	0.41	69	69	0 100.00	0.00
FOLLOW-UP	1 1	11	1 100.00	9.09	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0 0.00	0.00
OTHER	0	0	0 0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0 0.00	0.00
TOTAL	920	920	9 100.00	0.97	1955	1955	25	100.00	1.27	88	88	0 100.00	0.00

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PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC & GAS COMPANY NUCLEAR DEPARTMENT / MEDICAL FITNESS-FOR-DUTY STATISTICS REPORT POSITIVE TEST SUMMARY BY SUBSTANCE

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SUBSTANCE	OCCURANCES					
MARIJUANA	12					
COCAINE	14					
ALCOHOL: BAC > .04	7					
AMPHETAMINES	1					
ALCOHOL: BAC < .04	2					
*** TOTAL ***	36					

Random Testing Rate

Random testing is conducted at an annualized rate of 50%. The rate of annual random testing during this reporting period was 28.1% (1,239 random tests conducted with 4,413 workers eligible for testing).

Summary of Management Actions

Suspensions based on presumptive positives: 0

Reportable events: 0

<u>Appeals/Resolutions:</u> During the time period July 1, 1996 to December 31, 1996, 5 appeals have been resolved. One appeal resulted in reversal of original action.

- One appeal resulted from an access denial due to falsification of security background information.
- One appeal resulted from an access denial based on a security determination of lack of trustworthiness and reliability.
- One fitness for duty appeal involved an allegation that HHS laboratory results were incorrect.
- One appeal resulted from an access denial and discharge based on job performance issues.
- One appeal resulted from a security determination of a violation of the Fitness for Duty policy.

Trends 1990 to Present

- Opiates: No MRO positives since the Fitness for Duty rule went into effect.
- PCP: No positives during the last four and one half years.
- Rare challenges to the accuracy and validity of HHS laboratory tests results.
- For a brief period of time, due to high level management concern, almost all individuals involved in work related accidents or incidents were referred to the Medical Department for "For-cause" testing. "For-cause" testing during 1996 yielded a positive rate of 5.6%.

Recommendations:

Eliminate the second breath alcohol test when the first test is negative.

After greater than 97,000 breath tests, equipment sensitivity of 100% has been demonstrated (second breath test has never been positive after the first breath test was negative). Cost savings over months to years would be considerable.

- Continue to permit/encourage on-site pre-screening.
- Continue to move toward "interchangeability" and mutual acceptance among related Fitness for Duty programs (NRC, DOT, RSPA).
- Encourage the formation of Fitness for Duty oversight committees, with participation from management and supervision, to promote understanding, mutual agreement, and resolution of Fitness for Duty issues.