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New Jersey Department of
Environmental Protection
Division of Water Quality
Bureau of Permit Management
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**NEW JERSEY POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM
DISCHARGE MONITORING REPORTS
SALEM GENERATING STATION
PERMIT NO. NJ0005622**

Enclosed, please find the corrected page for discharge number 483A in December, 1996, Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR). Incorrect entries were made into the monthly average and daily max. values for total residual chlorine. The correct values have been entered and highlighted to facilitate the update to your records.

If you have any comments or questions, please feel free to contact John Leopardi at (609)339-2653.

Sincerely,

David F. Garchow
General Manager -
Salem Operations

Enclosure

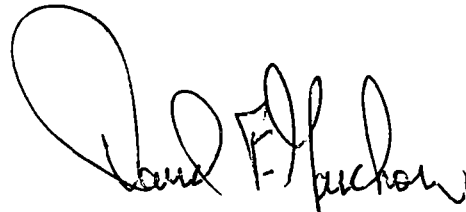
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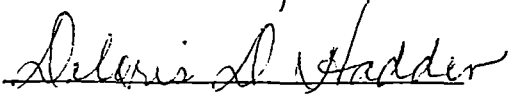
I, David F. Garchow, of full age, being duly sworn according to law, upon my oath depose and say:

1. I am General Manager of Salem Generating Station, and as such, am authorized to sign Discharge Monitoring Reports submitted to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to the Station's New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit.
2. I have reviewed the attached Discharge Monitoring Reports. Pursuant to N.J. A. C. 7:14A-2.4, I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments and that based on my inquiry of those individuals responsible for obtaining the information, I believe the submitted information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.
3. The signature on the attached Discharge Monitoring Reports is my signature and I am submitting this affidavit in satisfaction of the requirement that my signature be notarized.



David F. Garchow
General Manager -
Salem Operations

Sworn and subscribed before me
this 2nd day of May 1997.



DELORIS D. HADDEN
Notary Public of New Jersey
My Commission Expires
03-29-2000