

# SAFEGUARDS INFORMATION

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Docket Nos. 50-280 and 50-281  
License Nos. DPR-32 and DPR-37  
EA 86-46

Virginia Electric and Power Company  
ATTN: Mr. W. L. Stewart, Vice President  
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Richmond, Virginia 23261

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION  
(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-280/86-03 AND 50-281/86-03)

This refers to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) inspection conducted on February 10-14, 1986, at Surry Nuclear Station in Surry, Virginia, which included a review of a licensee-identified security incident. The incident represents a significant failure to comply with NRC regulatory requirements, and accordingly, the NRC's concerns relative to the inspection findings were discussed with R. D. Walker, Acting Deputy Regional Administrator, NRC, Region II, and yourself in an Enforcement Conference held in the Region II Office on March 3, 1986.

The licensee-identified violation described in the enclosed Notice of Violation involved the undetected passage of a packaged and assembled Ruger mini-14 rifle into the protected area. The violation was discovered when a mail clerk observed that the invoice for the package listed gun parts and delivered the package to the security offices. The second violation involved inadequate control of a secondary access portal.

In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (1985), violation A has been classified as a Severity Level III violation and violation B as a Severity Level IV violation. Normally, a civil penalty is proposed for a Severity Level III violation. However, after consultation with the Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, I have decided that a civil penalty will not be proposed in this case because of your prompt identification and reporting of the incident and your timely corrective actions.

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You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(d) and 10 CFR 73.21, safeguards activities and security measures are exempt from public disclosure; therefore, the enclosures to this letter, with the exception of the report cover page which presents a nonexempt summary, will not be placed in NRC's Public Document Room.

The responses 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, PL 96-511.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by  
Roger D. Walker /for

J. Nelson Grace  
Regional Administrator

Enclosures:

1. Notice of Violation
2. Inspection Report Nos. 50-280/86-03  
and 50-281/86-03

cc w/encls:

R. F. Saunders, Station Manager  
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