Date: May 5, 1980

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE--PNO-I-80-71

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information presented is as initially received without verification or evaluation and is basically all that is known by it staff on this date.

Facility:

Millstone Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 & 2 (DN 50-245/336)

Northeast Nuclear Energy Company

Waterford, Connecticut

Subject:

POSSIBLE SECURITY FORCE JOB ACTION

A significant number of security force personnel, contracted from interstate Security Services, Inc., began taking personal leave at the start of mid-shift for May 5, 1980. Security Supervisors are working twelve hour shifts in order to maintain full coverage at all posts. No explanation for the high rate of leave has been given; however, union contract negotiations are in progress.

The NRC Headquarters Duty Office was informed via ENS telephone at OOD! hours on May 5.

Media interest is expected due to public sensitivity to nuclear power plant matters. The State of Connecticut has been informed. A press release is not planned by the licensee or NRC at this time.

The NRC Resident Inspector received notification of the occurrence from the licensee by telephone at 0005 hours on May 5.

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