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Boston Edison Company
ATTN: Mr. Ralph G. Bird
Senior Vice President - Nuclear
Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station
RFD #1 Rocky Hill Road
Plymouth, Massachusetts 02360

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 50-293/89-11

A routine, safety inspection of your annual full-participation emergency preparedness exercise was conducted by Mr. C. Conklin of this office and other members of an NRC team on October 10-13, 1989 at your Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station, Plymouth, Massachusetts. Discussions of our findings were presented by Mr. Conklin to you and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selected examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of the emergency exercise by team members.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were identified. Boston Edison Company's performance during the exercise demonstrated the ability to implement the Emergency Plan and Implementing Procedures in a manner that would provide adequate protective measures for the health and safety of the public.

No reply to this letter is required. Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,
Original Signed By:
Ronald R. Bellamy

Ronald R. Bellamy, Chief
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Enclosures:

1. NRC Region I Inspection Report No. 50-293/89-11

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