

January 20, 1982

Docket No. 50-301

Wisconsin Electric Power Company
 ATTN: Mr. Sol Burstein
 Executive Vice President
 Power Plants
 231 West Michigan
 Milwaukee, WI 53201



Gentlemen:

This refers to the special investigation conducted by Messrs. J. E. Foster, W. G. Guldemon and R. L. Hague of this office on June 9, 1981 of activities at Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Unit 2, authorized by NRC Operating License No. DPR-27, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. G. A. Reed at the conclusion of the investigation. Due to other priority investigative effort, this report has been delayed.

The enclosed copy of our investigation report identifies areas examined during the investigation. Within these areas, the investigation consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, observations, and interviews with personnel.

During this investigation, certain of your activities appeared to be in noncompliance with NRC requirements, as described in the enclosed Appendix. The investigation showed that action had been taken to correct the identified noncompliance and to prevent recurrence. Consequently, no reply to this noncompliance is required and we have no further questions regarding this matter at this time.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed investigation report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you (or your contractors) believe to be exempt from disclosure under 10 CFR 9.5(a)(4), it is necessary that you (a) notify this office by telephone within ten (10) days from the date of this letter of your intention to file a request for withholding; and (b) submit within twenty-five (25)

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days from the date of this letter a written application to this office to withhold such information. If your receipt of this letter has been delayed such that less than seven (7) days are available for your review, please notify this office promptly so that a new due date may be established. Consistent with Section 2.790(b)(1), any such application must be accompanied by an affidavit executed by the owner of the information which identifies the document or part sought to be withheld, and which contains a full statement of the reasons which are the bases for the claim that the information should be withheld from public disclosure. This section further requires the statement to address with specificity the considerations listed in 10 CFR 2.790(b)(4). The information sought to be withheld shall be incorporated as far as possible into a separate part of the affidavit. If we do not hear from you in this regard within the specified periods noted above, a copy of this letter and the enclosed investigation report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this investigation.

Sincerely,

R. F. Warnick, Director
Enforcement and Investigation Staff

Enclosures:

- 1. Appendix, Notice of Violation
- 2. IE Investigation Rpt. No. 50-301/81-24

cc w/encls:

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