Docket Nos. 50-277/DPR-44 50-278/DPR-56

Philadelphia Electric Company Correspondence Control Desk ATTN: Mr. D. M. Smith

Senior Vice President-Nuclear

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Gentlemen:

Subject: Combined Inspection 50-277/90-14; 50-278/90-14

This letter transmits the findings of the routine resident safety inspection conducted by Messrs. J. J. Lyash, R. J. Urban, and L. E. Myers from July 3 through August 13, 1990, at the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Delta, Pennsylvania. The inspectors based these findings on observation of activities, interviews and document reviews, and discussed them with Mr. J. F. Franz of your staff.

Philadelphia Electric Co. did not conduct some activities at Peach Bottom, related to licensed operator use and adherence to procedures, in full compliance with NRC requirements as set forth in the Notice of Violation enclosed as Appendix A. We characterized the severity level of this violation in accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR 2, Appendix C (Enforcement Actions). In responding, please follow the instructions contained in Appendix A. We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

A. Randolph Blough, ChiefProjects Branch No. 2Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosures:

1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation

2. NRC Region I Combined Inspection Report 50-277/90-14; 50-278/90-14

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