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Docket No. 50-293

Mr. E. Thomas Boulette, PhD
Senior Vice President - Nuclear
Boston Edison Company
Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station
Rocky Hill Road
Plymouth, Massachusetts 02360

Dear Mr. Boulette:

SUBJECT: PILGRIM INSPECTION 94-02


This refers to the safety inspection conducted by Messrs. J. Macdonald and D. Kern, of this office on January 18 to February 21, 1994 at the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station, Plymouth, Massachusetts. Areas relevant to the health and safety of the public examined during this inspection are described in the enclosed report. Our findings were based upon observations of performance and independent evaluations of safety systems and quality records. The preliminary results have been discussed with you, Mr E. Kraft and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

The operations staff alertly identified and promptly resolved ice floats in the vicinity of the intake structure. We also noted effective dissemination and evaluation of industry experience associated with motor operated valves and reactor vessel internals.

No reply to this report is necessary, and your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
William J. Lazarus

 James C. Linville, Chief
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Enclosure: NRC Inspection Report No. 94-02

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