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Dear Mr. Smith:

SUBJECT: COMBINED INSPECTION 50-277/94-03 AND 50-278/94-03

This letter transmits the findings of the resident safety inspection conducted by Messrs. W. L. Schmidt, F. P. Bonnett and R. K. Lorson from February 6, 1994 through March 19, 1994 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. G. Edwards of your staff.

The station was operated safely, and operators responded well to challenges. However, a few minor operational weaknesses occurred, indicating that efforts to improve operator alertness and procedural adherence should receive additional management attention.

The response to degraded operating characteristics on a Unit 3 low pressure coolant injection system valve was appropriate and reflected a good safety perspective. Troubleshooting activities were performed well during this period.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:

1. NRC Region I Combined Inspection Report 50-277/94-03 and 50-278/94-03

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