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Docket No. 50-354

Mr. Steven E. Miltenberger
Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer
Public Service Electric & Gas Company
Post Office Box 236
Hancocks Bridge, New Jersey 08038

Dear Mr. Miltenberger:

SUBJECT: NRC Inspection No. 50-354/94-06

An announced inspection of the radiological controls program at the Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Station of activities authorized by NRC License No. NPF-57 was conducted by Mr. J. Noggle during the period March 14-18, 1994. The findings of the inspection were discussed with Mr. M. Prystupa and other members of your staff on March 18, 1994.

Areas reviewed during the inspection are important to health and safety and are discussed in the enclosed inspection report. The areas reviewed included personnel exposure control and exposure reduction techniques employed during the fifth refueling outage at the Hope Creek Station.

The radiation protection organization performed effectively in providing the necessary radiation safety oversight of outage activities. However, opportunities for improvement in your program for maintaining radiation exposures as low as reasonably achievable (ALARA) were noted by the inspector.

No safety concerns or violations of NRC regulatory requirements were identified during the inspection. No response to this letter is required.

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Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:
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Enclosure:
NRC Inspection Report No. 50-354/94-06

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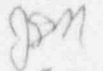
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