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Duquesne Light Company
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Combined Inspection Nos. 50-334/90-21 and 50-412/90-21

This letter refers to the initial inspection of the Fitness-For-Duty (FFD) Program developed for and being implemented at the Beaver Valley Nuclear Generating Station. The inspection was conducted on October 16-18, 1990, by Messrs. R. Albert and E. B. King of this office and observed by Mrs. M. Solberg, from the NRC's office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

Areas examined during the inspection are described in the inspection report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspectors.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations were observed.

Based on this inspection, we determined that the development and implementation of your FFD program are responsive to both the spirit and intent of the NRC FFD rule and that the program is aggressive and comprehensive. We also found that the professionalism and technical expertise exhibited by personnel involved in administering the program, particularly, the collection station staff, medical review officer, and licensee management, are commendable.

No reply to this letter is required. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By: James H. Joyner

James H. Joyner, Chief Facilities Radiological Safety and Safeguards Branch Division of Radiation Safety and Safeguards

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Enclosure: NRC Region I Combined Inspection Report Numbers 50-334/90-21 and 50-412/90-21

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