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OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Process Technology North Jersey (EA 89-80)
Rockaway, New Jersey
License No. 29-13613-02

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTY - \$13,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty in the amount of \$13,000 will be issued today to Process Technology North Jersey, Rockaway, New Jersey. This action is based on a violation involving inaccurate and incomplete statements by current and former members of the licensee's staff and a number of violations which represent a significant lack of attention to and carelessness for licensed responsibilities by supervisors and managers at the licensee's facility. By memorandum dated January 29, 1991, the Commission approved issuance of a proposed civil penalty in this case. Discretion is being exercised in this case and only base civil penalties are being proposed because the licensee's performance has been good subsequent to these violations, the violations were identified and/or occurred shortly after a new President and CEO had been appointed by the licensee and he had had minimal opportunity to re-orient the licensee's operations, and for the most part managers involved in these violations have been removed.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The schedule of issuance of the Notice of Violation and Notification is:

Mailing of Notice January 31, 1991
Telephone Notification of Licensee January 31, 1991

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

The State New Jersey will be notified.

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