

APPENDIX A
NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Boston Edison Company
Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station

Docket No. 50-293
License No. DPR-35

During an NRC inspection conducted on November 27 - December 31, 1990 a violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (1990), the violation is listed below:

Technical Specification 6.11 requires that procedures for personnel radiation protection shall be prepared consistent with the requirements of 10 CFR Part 20 and shall be approved, maintained and adhered to for all operations involving personnel radiation exposure. Procedure 6.1-022, "Issue, Use, and Termination of Radiation Work Permits (RWPs)," Revision 27, states that it is the responsibility of the individual to ensure that he/she is aware of and follows all the requirements and conditions of the RWP.

- Contrary to the above, on November 30, 1990 a vendor technician entered and performed work in the condenser bay (High Radiation Area) without dosimetry (which had been properly issued to the individual) as required by the applicable RWP.
- Contrary to the above, on December 13, 1990 a licensee nuclear plant reactor equipment operator crossed an established High Radiation Area boundary without being aware of the requirements and conditions of the applicable RWP and without obtaining the required dosimetry.
- Contrary to the above, on December 20, 1990 a vendor worker assigned fire watch duties entered the augmented off gas system building which was posted as an "Airborne Contamination - RWP Required For Entry" area without being aware of the applicable RWP requirements and conditions.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement IV).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Boston Edison Company is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555 with a copy to the Regional Administrator, Region I and a copy to the NRC Resident Inspector, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation. This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order may be issued to show cause why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

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