

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Texas Engineering Experiment Station
Texas A&M University
College Station, Texas 77843-3575

Docket: 50-128
License: R-83

During an NRC inspection conducted on May 23-27, 1994, a violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Action," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C, the violation is listed below:

Technical Specification 6.2.4 requires, in part, that the Reactor Safety Board, or a subcommittee thereof, audit reactor operations and that such audits ". . . shall include . . . the following:

- "(a) Facility operations for conformance to the technical specifications and applicable license conditions at least once per calendar year (interval between audits not to exceed 15 months)
- "(d) The reactor facility emergency plan and implementing procedures at least once per calendar year (interval between audits not to exceed 15 months)."

Contrary to the above, the inspector determined on May 27, 1994, that facility operations had not been audited since April 23, 1991, and the emergency plan had not been audited since July 17, 1991.

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

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, the Texas Engineering Experiment Station 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 IV, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reasons for the violation or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, (3) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, the Commission may issue an order or a demand for information as to why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Consideration may be given to extending the response time for good cause shown.

Dated at Arlington, Texas
this 15th day of June 1994

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