Docket Nos. 50-424, 50-425 License Nos. NPF-68, NPF-81

Georgia Power Company
ATTN: Mr. C. K. McCoy
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION

(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-424/94-12 AND 50-425/94-12)

This refers to the inspection conducted by R. Moore of this office on May 9-20, 1994. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your Vogtle facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). The violation is of concern because in one case an equipment protection function on safety related equipment was disabled. In the other, required interim measures were not accomplished for Emergency Diesel Generator air system parameters identified outside their acceptance criteria.

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rule of Practice," a copy of this letter, its enclosure and any reply will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room. If you wish to withhold information contained therein, please notify this office by telephone within ten days of the date of this letter and promptly thereafter submit a written application to withhold information contained therein. Such application must be consistent with the requirement

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of 10 CFR 2.790(b)(1). If we do not here from you in this regard within the period specified above, this letter, its enclosure and any reply will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY CHARLES A. CASTO

Charles A. Casto, Acting Chief Engineering Branch Division of Reactor Safety

Enclosures:

- 1. Notice of Violation
- 2. NRC Inspection Report

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