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General Electric Company
ATTN: Mr. J. A. Long, General Manager
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P. O. Box 780
Wilmington, NC 28402

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: REPORT NO. 70-1113/83-06

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mr. C. M. Hosey of this office on March 7 - 11, 1983, of activities authorized by NRC License No. SNM-1097 for the Wilmington Manufacturing Department. Our preliminary findings were discussed with Mr. W. J. Hendry, Manager, Regulatory Compliance, at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection and our findings are discussed in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

During the inspection, it was found that certain activities under your license appear to violate NRC requirements. This item and references to pertinent requirements are listed in the Notice of Violation enclosed herewith as Appendix A. Elements to be included in your response are delineated in Appendix A.

One new unresolved item is identified in the enclosed inspection report. This item will be examined during subsequent inspections.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room unless you notify this office, by telephone, within ten days of the date of this letter and submit written application to withhold information contained therein within thirty days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements of 2.790(b)(1).

The responses directed by this letter and the enclosures are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

(Original signed by JPhilip Stohr)
J. Philip Stohr, Director
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and Material Safety Programs

Enclosures:

- 1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation
- 2. Inspection Report No. 70-1113/83-06

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