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Docket No. 50-382/91-06
License No. NPF-38

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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-382/91-06

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. J. E. Gagliardo, L. E. Ellershaw, J. E. Whittemore, and W. M. McNeill of this office during the period March 18 through April 15, 1991, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License NPF-38 for Waterford Steam Electric Station, Unit 3, and to the discussion of our findings with you and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included evaluation of licensee's self-assessment capability and corrective action. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspectors. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations or deviations were identified.

We have also examined actions you have taken with regard to previously identified inspection findings and 10 CFR Part 21 reports. The status of these items is identified in paragraphs 2 and 3 of the enclosed report.

We noted that, in general, you have developed and implemented very effective systems of self-assessment and corrective actions. We noted, however, minor weaknesses in the timeliness and scope of some corrective actions, and in the depth of the root cause investigations and determinations reviewed.

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

Sincerely,
Original Signed By:
Samuel J. Collins

Samuel J. Collins, Director
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Enclosure:
Appendix B - NRC Inspection Report
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