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Public Service Electric and Gas Company P.O. Box E Hancocks Bridge, New Jersey 08038

Salem Generating Station

May 10, 1983

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Mr. J. Allan
Acting Regional Administrator
USNRC
Region 1
631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Dear Mr. Allan:

REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE 83-017/01P
SALEM NO. 2 UNIT LER

This letter is to confirm our verbal report to the NRC Resident Inspector on Monday, May 9, 1983, advising of a potential reportable occurrence in accordance with Technical Specifications Section 6.9.1.8.b.

At 0842 hours, April 25, 1983, it was discovered that a blank had been installed in the line providing a vent path for the Reactor Coolant System. Both Pressurizer Over-pressurization Protection System valves were inoperable at the time. Subsequent investigation of the event revealed that no vent path had existed from approximately 0600 hours, April 24, 1983 to 1358 hours, April 25, 1983.

A full investigation is in progress, and a detailed report will be submitted within the 14 day time period as required by the Technical Specifications.

Sincerely yours,

J. M. Zupko, Jr.
General Manager -
Salem Operations

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