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Docket No. 50-286

Power Authority of the State of New York
Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant
ATTN: Mr. J. C. Brons
Resident Manager
P. O. Box 215
Buchanan, New York 10511

Gentlemen:

Subject: Inspection No. 50-286/83-12

This refers to the routine safeguards inspection conducted by Ms. L. McKeown of this office on May 16-20, 1983, at the Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant, Buchanan, New York of activities authorized by NRC License No. DPR-64 and to the discussions of our findings held by Ms. McKeown with you and members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the NRC Region I Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Based on the results of this inspection, it appears that one of your activities was not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements, as set forth in the Notice of Violation, enclosed herewith as Appendix A. This violation has been categorized by severity level in accordance with the NRC Enforcement policy (10 CFR 2, Appendix C) published in the Federal Register Notice (47 FR 9987) dated March 9, 1982. You are required to respond to this letter and in preparing your response, you should follow the instructions in Appendix A.

Sections of the enclosed inspection report contain details of your security program that have been determined to be exempt from public disclosure in accordance with either 10 CFR 73.21 (Safeguards Information) or 10 CFR 9.5.(a)(4). Therefore, those sections of the inspection report and Appendix A will not be placed in the NRC Public Document Room and will receive limited distribution. The inspection report cover sheet and any remaining portions of the inspection report will be placed in the Public Document Room, in accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), unless you notify, by telephone, the Supervisor, Files, Mail and Records, USNRC Region I, at (215) 337-5223, within 10 days of the date of this letter and submit written application to withhold information contained in the report within thirty days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.790(b)(1).

The responses directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice 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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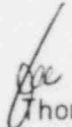
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Your cooperation with us in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

 J. H. JOYNER
Thomas T. Martin, Director
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Technical Programs

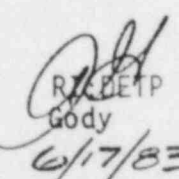
Enclosures:

1. Appendix A, Notice of Violation (Contains Safeguards Information)
2. NRC Region I Inspection Report Number 50-286/83-12 (Contains Safeguards Information in paragraph 12)


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